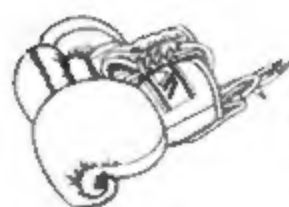


ラウンド

森川ジョージ

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はじめての  
THE FIGHTING!  
大



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## はじめての一步





# はじめの一歩

THE FIGHTING!



ラウンド  
**Round 453**

**The Dreams of a  
Man who Can't Fly**

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BUT THEY ALL  
MISS, THE  
CHALLENGER'S  
MOVEMENTS  
HAVE SUDDENLY  
LIGHTENED

THE  
CHAMPION  
MOVES  
FORWARD  
WITH GIANT  
SWINGS

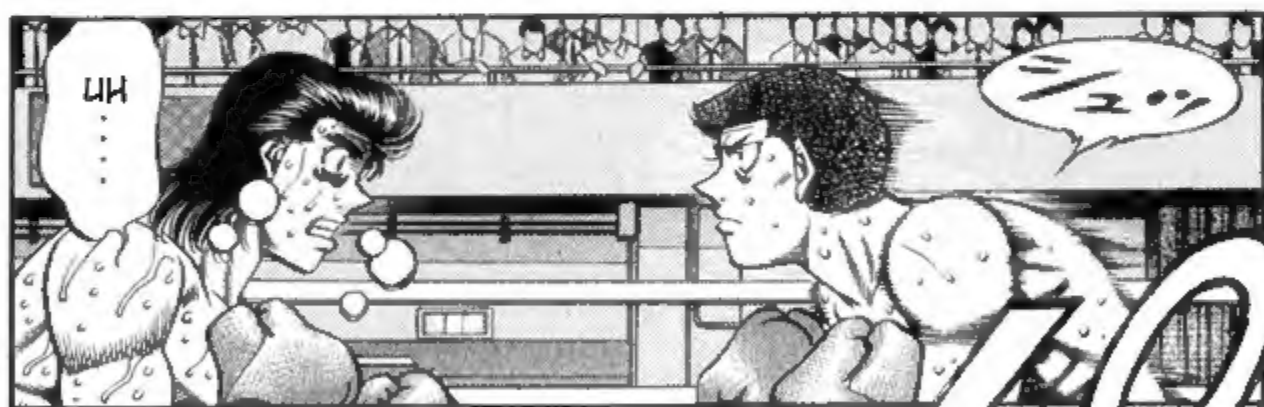
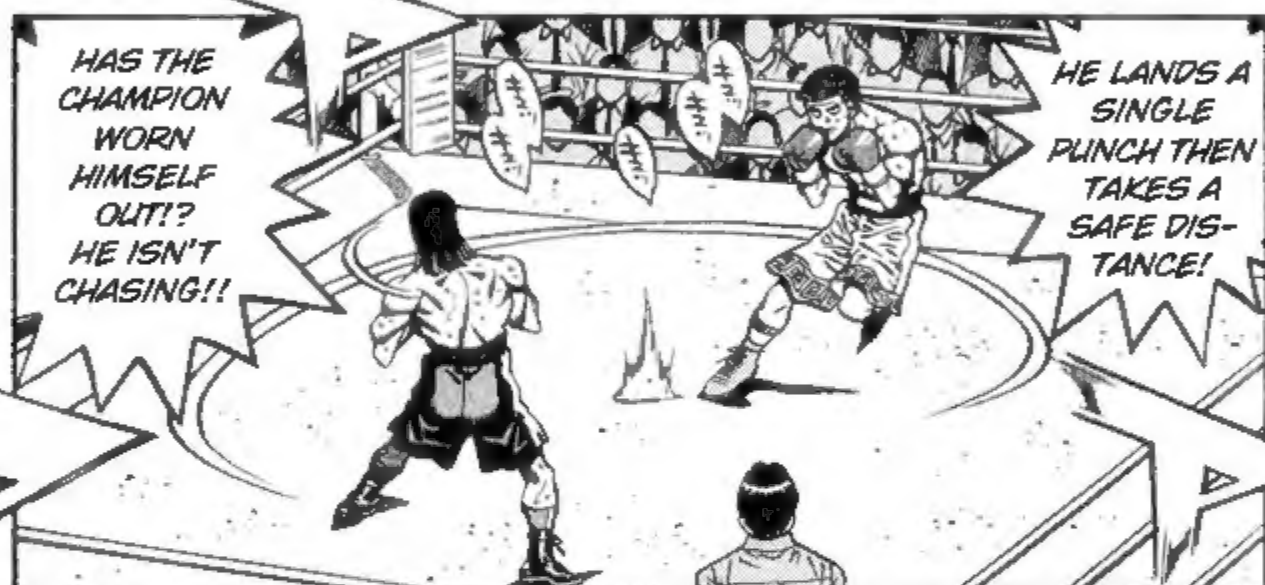
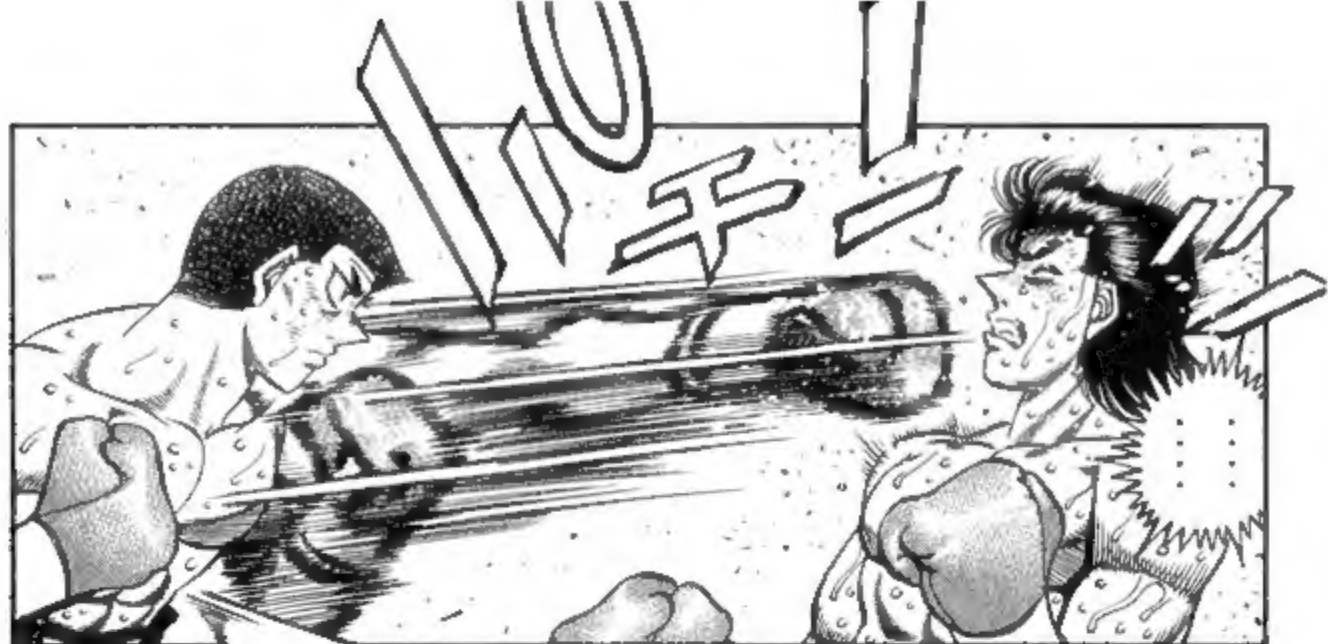


DAMMIT,  
COME AT  
ME!

WE'LL  
HAVE A  
FAIR  
FIGHT!!



AH



WHERE HAS  
THE DAMAGE  
FROM HIS  
SECOND  
ROUND DOWN  
GONE!?

A BRILLIANT  
HIT AND RUN  
STRATEGY!

IT'S AS IF  
ROUNDS 2,  
3 AND 4  
WERE ALL  
LIES



HE'S SO  
ANGRY  
HE CAN'T  
HEAR ME

NO  
USE

ZE ZE

H H

ZE ZE

H H

THROWING  
PUNCHES  
LIKE THAT  
WILL GET  
YOUR  
TIRED

IMAE!  
CALM  
DOWN





OF COURSE  
HE'S WELL-  
VERSED IN  
THE BASICS

HE'S A  
FIGHTER  
RAISED AT  
THE KA-  
MOGAWA  
GYM

WE  
WERE  
CARE-  
LESS!

IT'S AS  
IF HE'S A  
HIGH-LEVEL  
OUT-BOXER

PUTTING  
THAT  
ASIDE,  
HOW CAN  
HE MOVE  
LIKE  
THAT...

RUSHING IN IN  
THE EARLY  
ROUNDS ISN'T  
IMAE'S  
USUAL PACE!!

BUT HE WAS  
STILL PULLED  
IN BY HIS  
OPPONENT'S  
TRICKS

WE WERE  
READY  
FOR ALL  
OF THIS

THE  
CHALLENGER'S  
CHANCE  
HAS FINALLY  
COME

AAAAH  
THE  
CHAMPION'S  
SPEED IS  
GRADUALLY  
DECREASING



HE WAS  
PROB-  
ABLY

PLAYING  
DEAD!!



HEY,  
HEY, THE  
ATMOSPHERE  
JUST  
CHANGED



THAT  
BASTARD'S  
FIGHTING  
DIRTY

EVEN I  
WAS  
FOOLED



PLAY-  
ING  
DEAD  
?



AOKI'S  
BEEN  
PLAYING  
POSSUM  
THE ENTIRE  
TIME

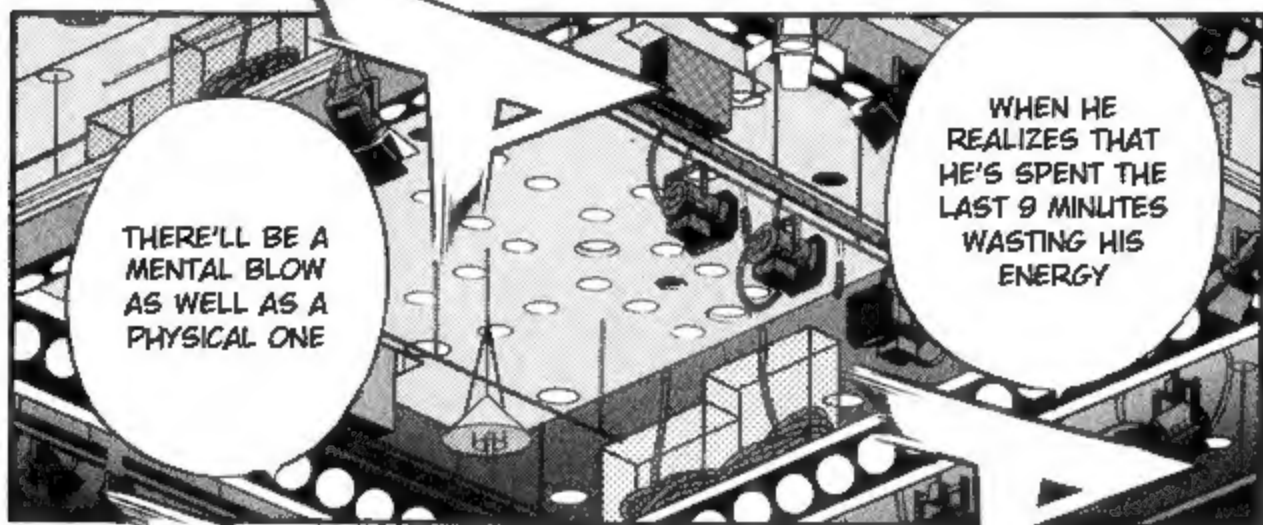
DAMN  
ACTOR

VILLAIN



FOR THE  
LAST 3  
ROUNDS HE'S  
BEEN HITTING  
AGAINST A  
SOLID GUARD

IMAE  
THOUGHT HE  
COULD FINISH  
IT EARLY AND  
PUSHED TOO  
HARD




THERE'LL BE A  
MENTAL BLOW  
AS WELL AS A  
PHYSICAL ONE

WHEN HE  
REALIZES THAT  
HE'S SPENT THE  
LAST 9 MINUTES  
WASTING HIS  
ENERGY








IT SHOULD  
HAVE TAKEN A  
GREAT DEAL OF  
ENERGY TO  
STAND UP TO  
THE CHAMPION'S  
ATTACKS

AOKI  
SHOULD BE  
EXTREMELY  
TIRED BY  
NOW

IT LOOKS LIKE  
HE'S SIMPLY TAKING  
A RHYTHMIC  
APPROACH TO THE  
FIGHT, BUT HE'S  
ACTUALLY TAKING  
HIS DISTANCE IN  
AN ATTEMPT TO  
RECOVER AS MUCH  
AS HE CAN



RIGHT NOW  
HIS MIND'S  
SPINNING  
WILDLY

IT FEELS LIKE  
HE'S PUTTING  
AN INCREDIBLE  
AMOUNT OF  
ENERGY INTO  
THIS FIGHT



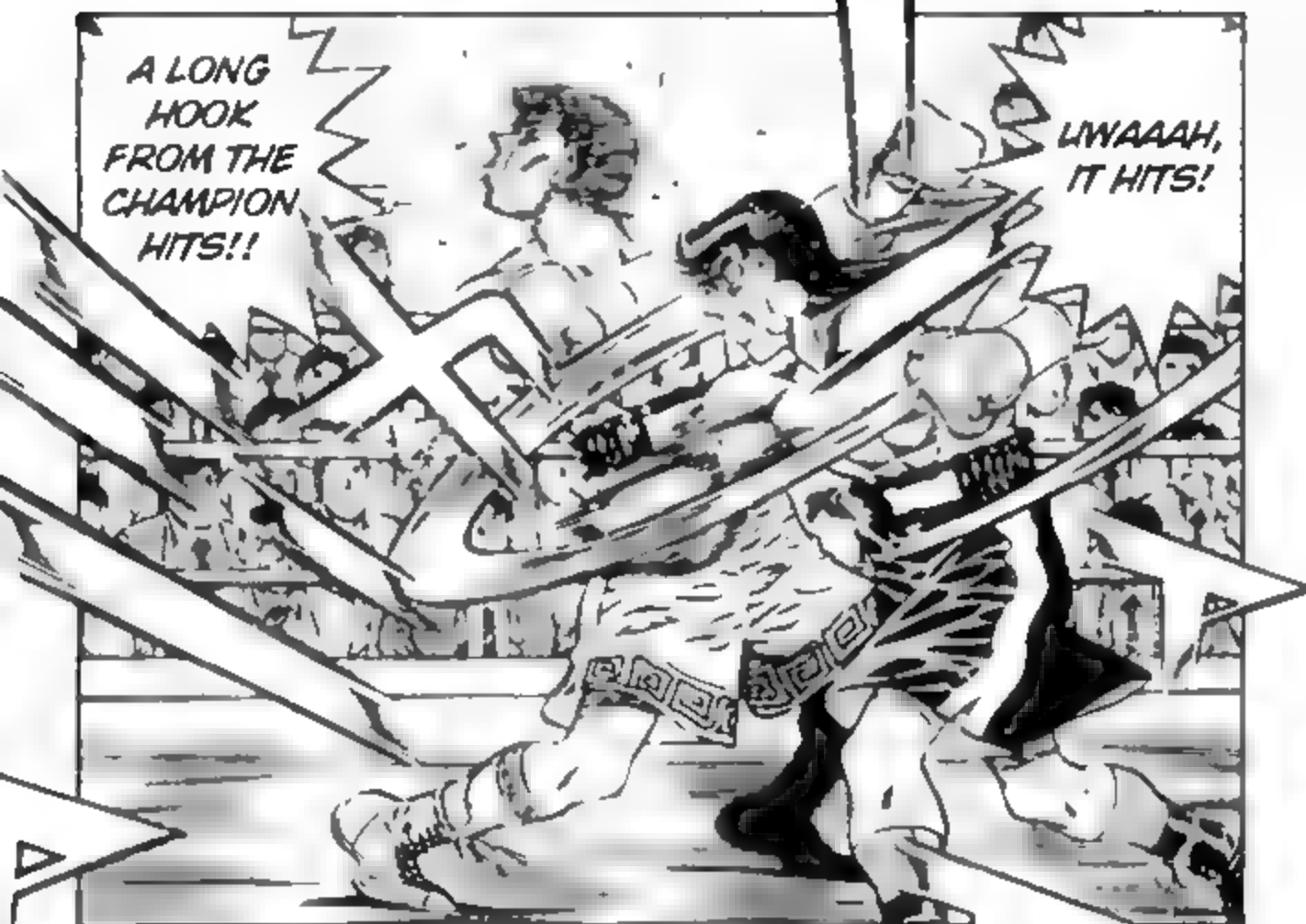
IS  
'PRETEND-  
ING TO  
REVIVE'

WHAT  
COMES  
AFTER  
'PLAYING  
DEAD'



SO THAT'S  
WHY HE ISN'T  
USING HIS  
NORMAL  
TECHNIQUES

AOKI-KUN'S  
TIRED...  
I SEE







THAT WAS  
CLOSE, HE  
ALMOST  
SUCKED  
ME IN  
AGAIN

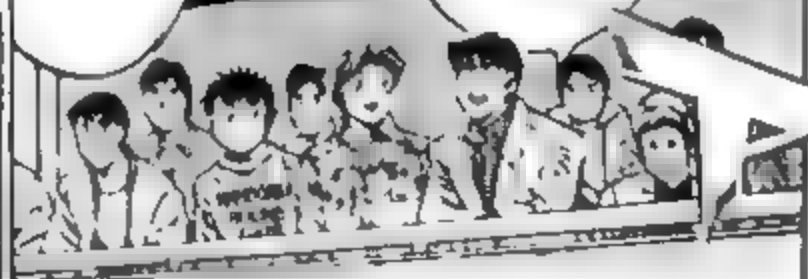
IS IT NOT  
WORKING?  
IS HE  
PRETEND-  
ING  
AGAIN?



SO IT'S A  
MULTI-  
PRONGED  
ATTACK!

THIS IS  
ANOTHER  
RESULT OF  
PLAYING  
DEAD!

BUT  
IMAE COULDN'T THAT LAST  
THINK CLEARLY ONE  
IN HIS CUR- REALLY  
RENT STATE OF DID HURT  
MIND AND HIM  
DECIDED NOT  
TO PURSUE IT





TH-  
THEN



NO, HE'S  
HAD THIS  
FOR A  
WHILE



COULD IT BE  
THAT THE  
NEW WEAPON  
THAT  
AKI-SAN  
WAS TALKING  
ABOUT



SOMETHING  
HE'S  
WAITING TO  
USE!?

THERE'S  
STILL

IS  
THIS  
...



FORGET  
ABOUT  
YOURS,  
IT WAS A  
DECISION  
LOSS. AT  
LEAST YOU  
WERE CLOSE

AAAAH,  
ROTH OF  
US LOST  
THIS TIME,  
HUH



JUST IN  
WAYS THE  
ONE THAT  
ENDS UP  
WITH ON MY  
BACK

WE  
PRACTICE  
THE SAME  
AMOUNT  
WE TRAIN  
THE SAME  
WAYS



A COM-  
PLETE  
LOSS

I  
WAS  
KO'D



THE ODDS  
OF YOU  
FALLING TO  
THAT ARE  
HIGHER  
THAN MINE

THAT'S  
BECAUSE  
YOU'VE  
GOT  
A WEAK  
JAW

BUT  
WHAT  
SHOULD...  
I DO...



I NEED  
SOME-  
THING  
DECISIVE  
TO USE  
ON THE  
JAW

I CAN'T  
WIN WITH  
WHAT I  
HAVE NOW



AAH  
?

TAKAMURA-  
SAN, AOKI  
MIGHT QUIT  
BOXING



EMP

HE'S  
GOTTEN  
PRETTY  
CONFIDENT  
LATELY

BUT  
LOOK



AND  
BEFORE  
THIS FIGHT,  
HE HAD A  
SIMILAR  
LOOK IN HIS  
EYES

HE'S  
NOT A MAN  
THAT WILL  
FALL DOWN  
EASILY, HE'S  
ALWAYS GOT  
SOMETHING  
HIDDEN

THE  
FIRST TIME  
ANYONE  
SAW THE  
FROG  
PUNCH WAS  
IN HIS NEXT  
FIGHT







WHAT'S HE  
HIDING THIS  
TIME!?

THERE'S  
NO DOUBT  
THAT HE  
HAS A NEW  
WEAPON!  
AND NOW  
HE'S JUST  
WAITING FOR  
THE TIME TO  
USE IT



THE  
CHAMPION  
TRIES TO CALL  
HIM OVER!  
BUT THE  
CHALLENGER  
DOESN'T  
RESPOND

DON'T  
RUN!  
COME  
AT ME

HE'S STAYING  
AT HIS  
PREFERRED  
DISTANCE



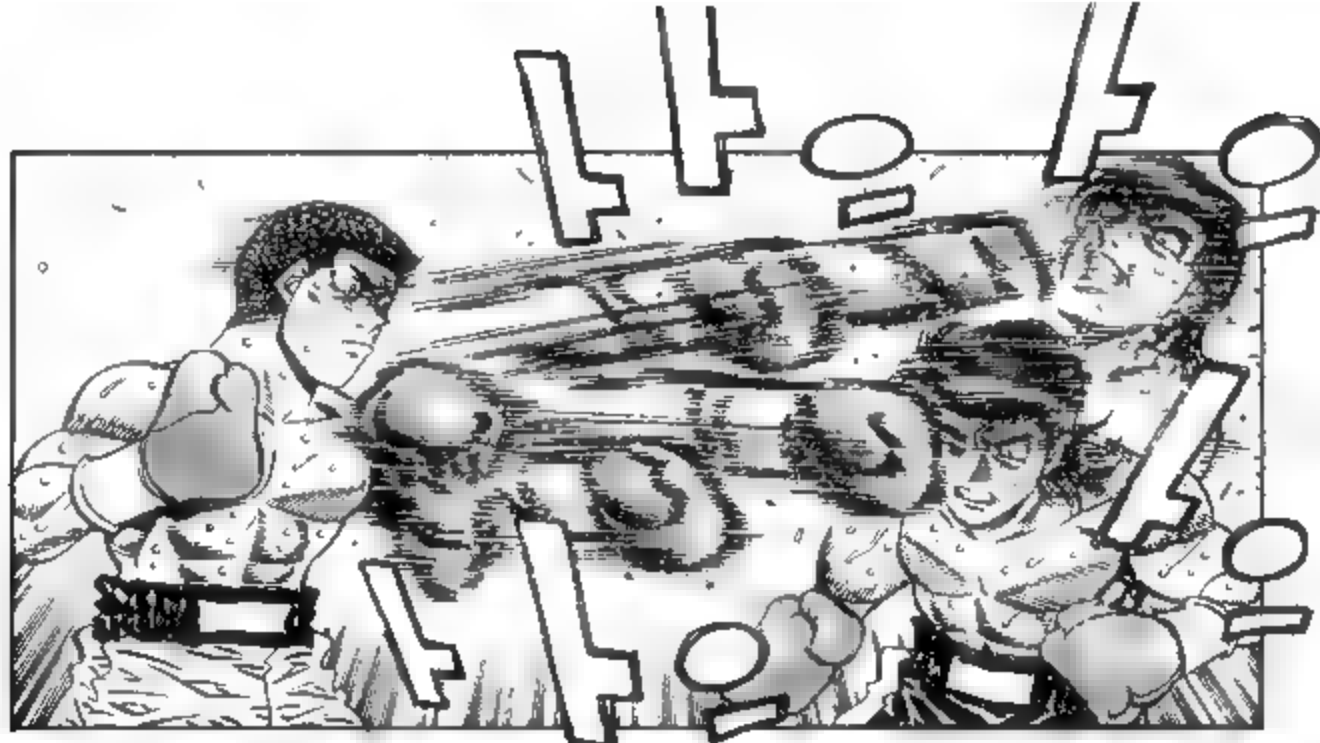
AH

IF HE  
DOESN'T  
COME,  
THEN  
TAKE THE  
CHANCE  
TO REST

YEAH,  
STAY  
CALM

IF YOU  
WON'T  
COME...

SHIT





YEAH  
DON'T  
LOOK  
AWAY



WILL  
DEFI-  
NITELY  
LOSE  
TO



SOME-  
THING  
THAT  
FIGHT-  
ERS LIKE  
ME

BUT  
WHAT

SOME-  
THING  
TO USE  
ON THE  
JAW...

THEY FLY  
OUT OF  
THE WAY  
OF  
PUNCHES  
LIKE BIRDS



IT MUST  
BE NICE  
BEING A  
ROXER  
THAT CAN  
USE  
FLASHY  
FOOT  
WORK



WE  
WANT  
TO  
FLY,  
BUT  
WE  
CAN'T...

THIS  
LITTLE  
GUY'S  
JUST  
LIKE  
ME



MAYBE  
IF YOU  
TRY  
HARD  
ENOUGH  
YOU'LL  
GROW  
WINGS

THAT'S  
IT!!



IT GAVE  
ME CON-  
FIDENCE!!

AND WHILE  
IT MAY  
NOT HAVE  
MADE ME  
INVINCIBLE



IT MAY HAVE  
BEEN A SIMPLE  
ANSWER, BUT  
THAT'S HOW I  
CAME UP WITH  
THE FROG  
PUNCH!

AND I  
ACCIDENTALLY  
MURDERED  
THAT FROG!





HE  
APPEARS TO  
BE HURT

THE  
CHAMPION  
CRUMBLES  
DOWN



ZE ZE  
H H

ZE ZE  
H H



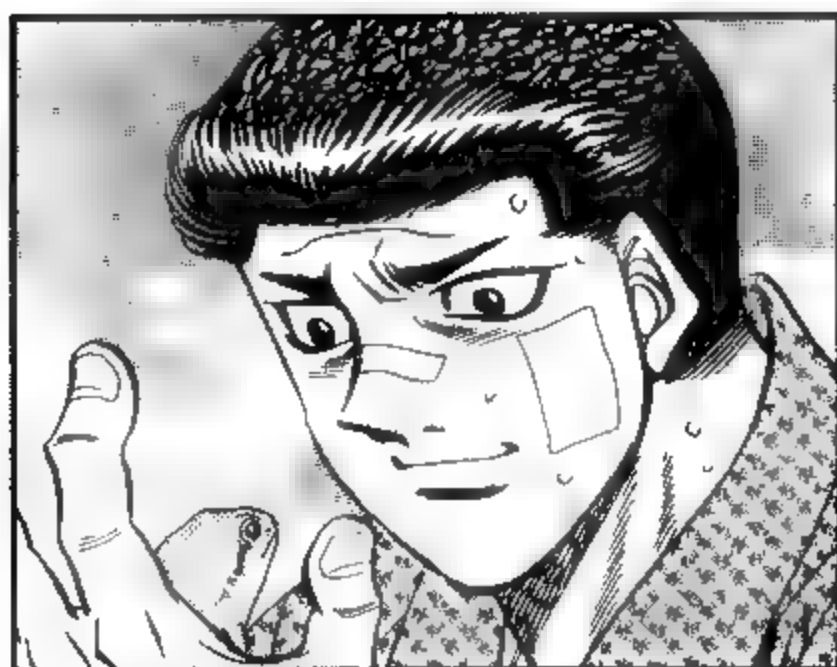
AND THERE'S  
THE GONG!!  
ROUND 5 IS  
OVER

THIS TIME  
IT'S THE  
CHAMPION  
WHO'S  
SAVED BY  
THE BELL!!





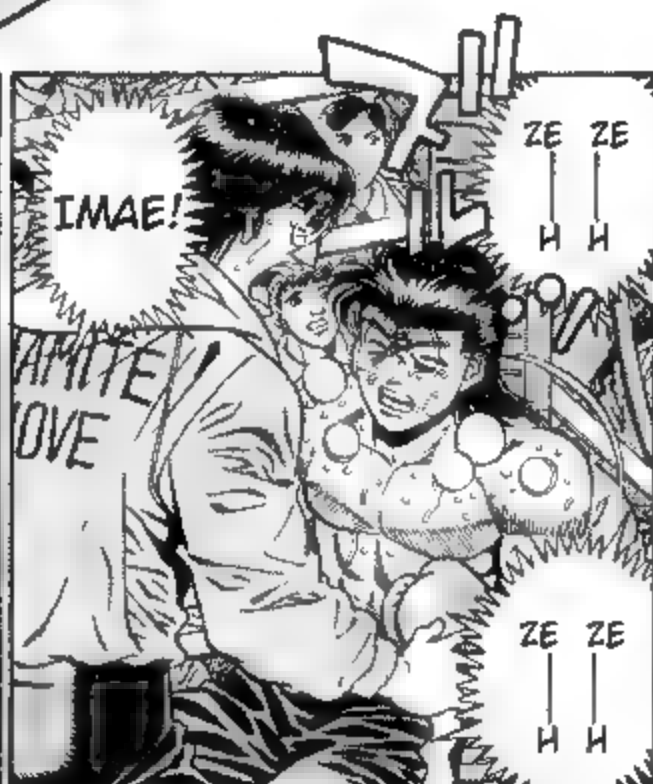
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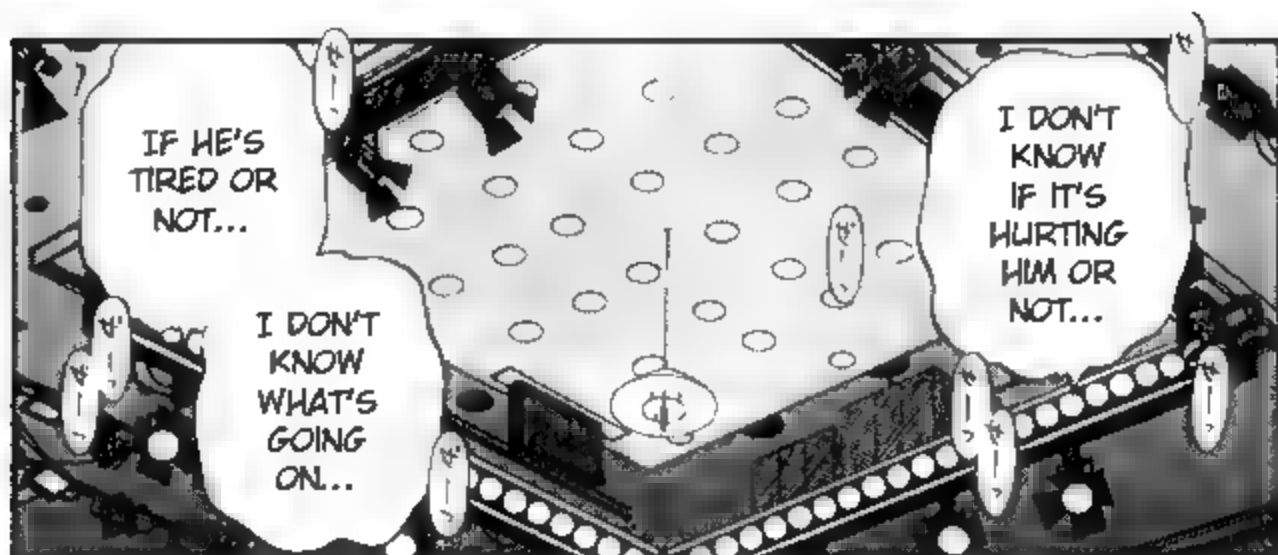


RIP POOR FROGGY!



# はじめての THE FIGHTING! 一歩







NOW HE'S  
LACKING  
ANYTHING  
TO PROTECT  
HIM FROM  
ATTACKS

AND IF HE  
WERE TO  
FALL,  
NOTHING  
WOULD  
HELP HIM  
GET UP



AND  
NOW  
ALL OF  
IT'S  
GONE

HIS STAMINA  
AND HIS  
COOL  
DEMEANOR,  
BOTH ARE  
GONE



ARE YOU  
FORGETTING  
EVERYTHING  
YOU'VE  
EVER  
WORKED  
FOR?

WHY  
DO YOU  
HAVE  
SUCH A  
PATHETIC  
EXPRES-  
SION...



IT'S  
YOU!

DON'T LOOK  
AWAY, WHO  
DO YOU  
THINK THE  
CHAMPION  
IS!?

IMAE  
!!



YOU'VE  
JUST BEEN  
PULLED  
TOO FAR  
INTO YOUR  
OPPONENT'S  
RHYTHM

THERE'S  
NO WAY  
THAT  
YOU'RE  
OUT OF  
STAMINA

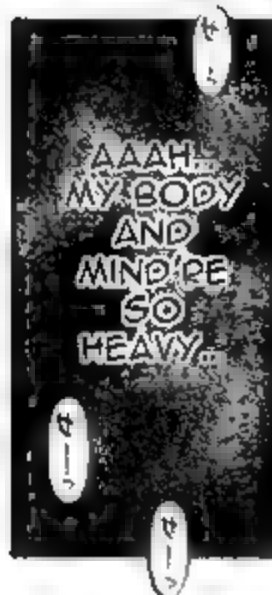
THE  
TRAINING  
YOU'VE  
COMPLETED  
IS REAL

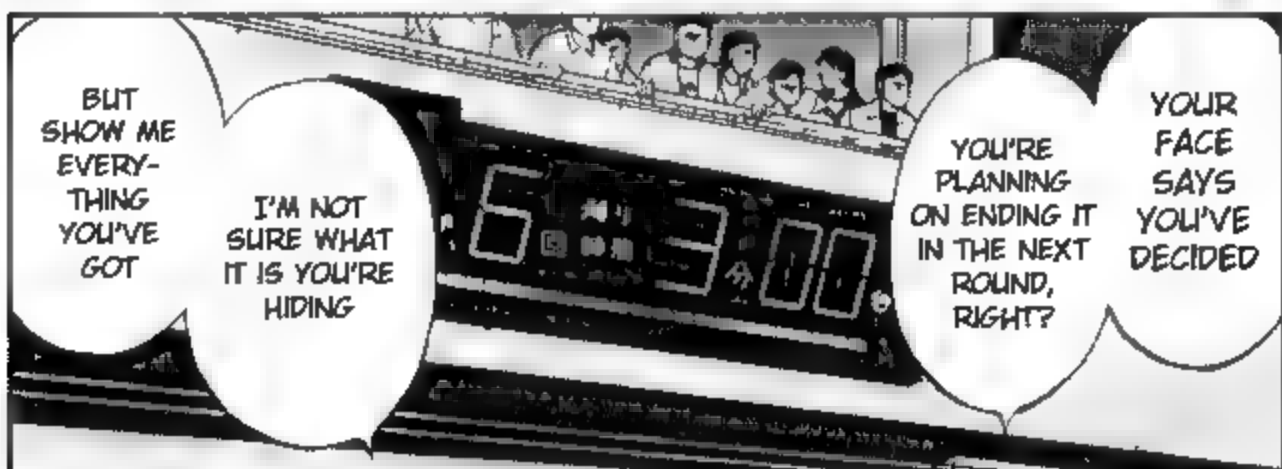


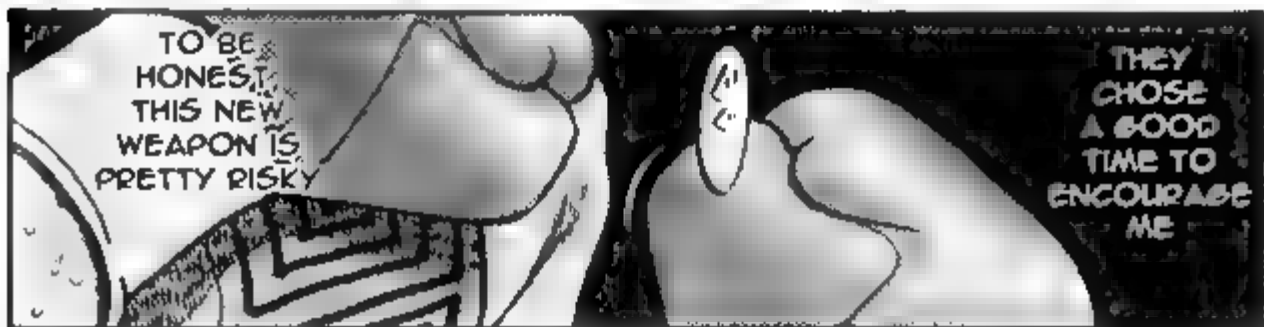
AH  
...

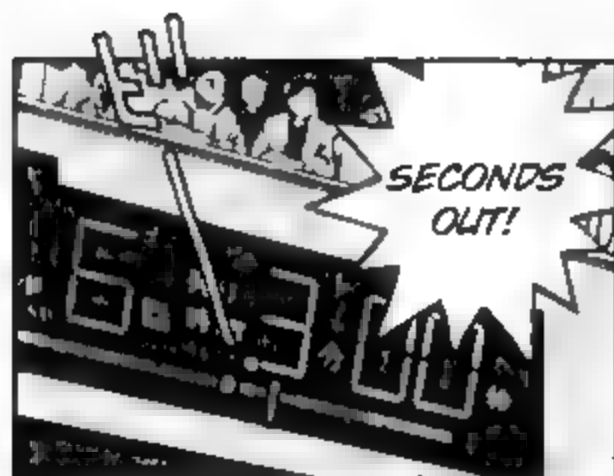
Y-  
YEAH  
...













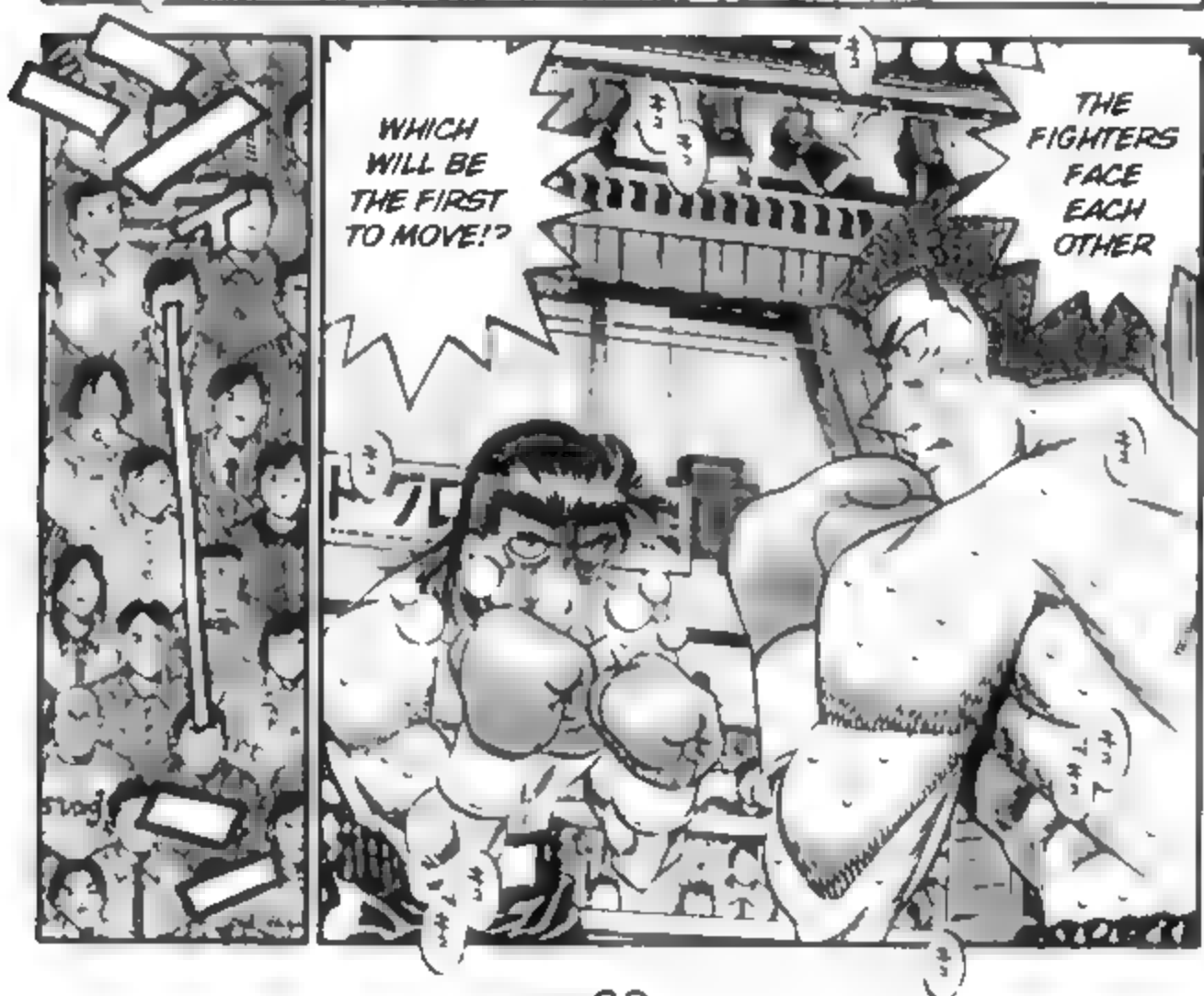
ROUND  
6!!

COURAGE!!







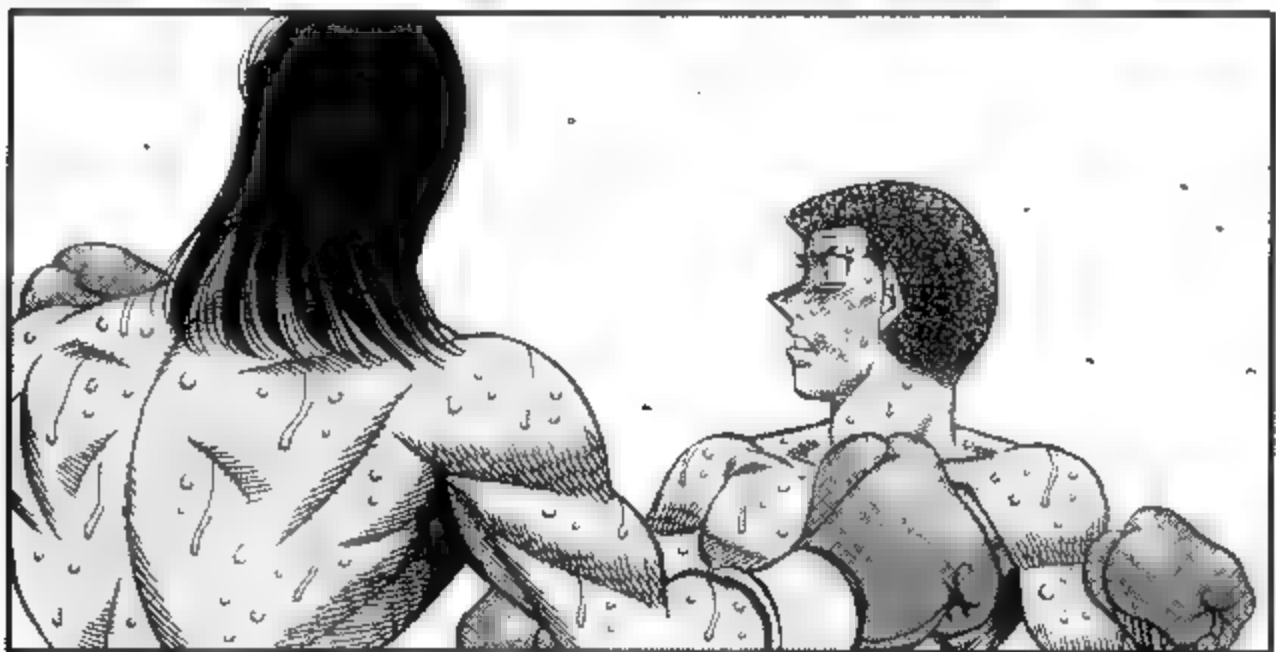
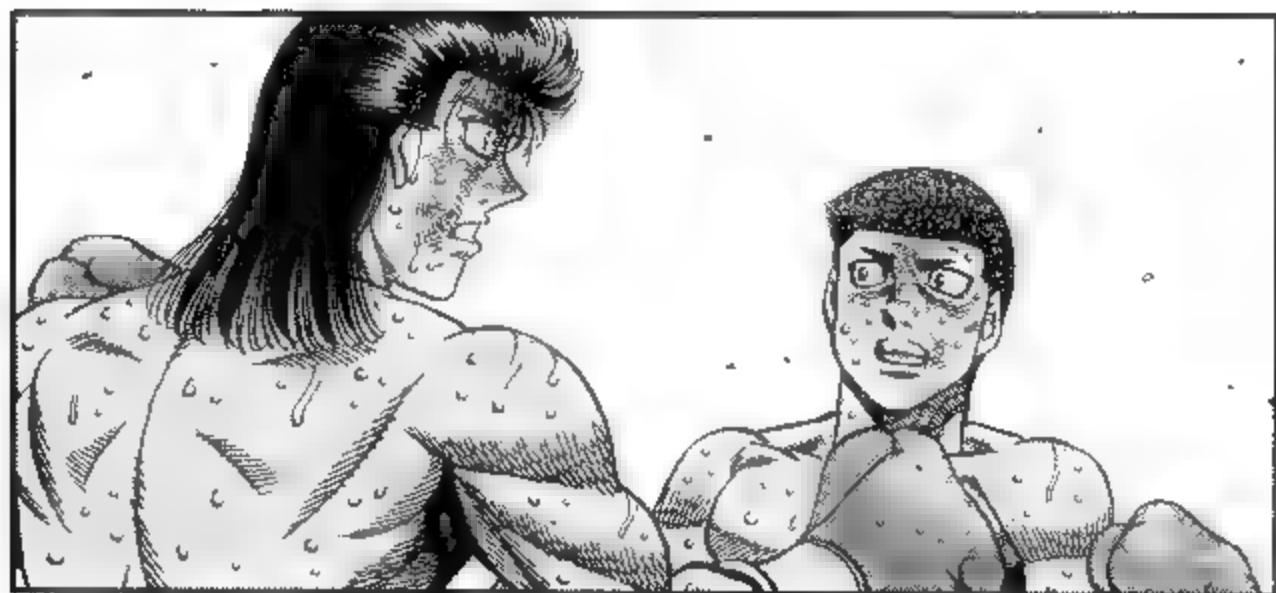






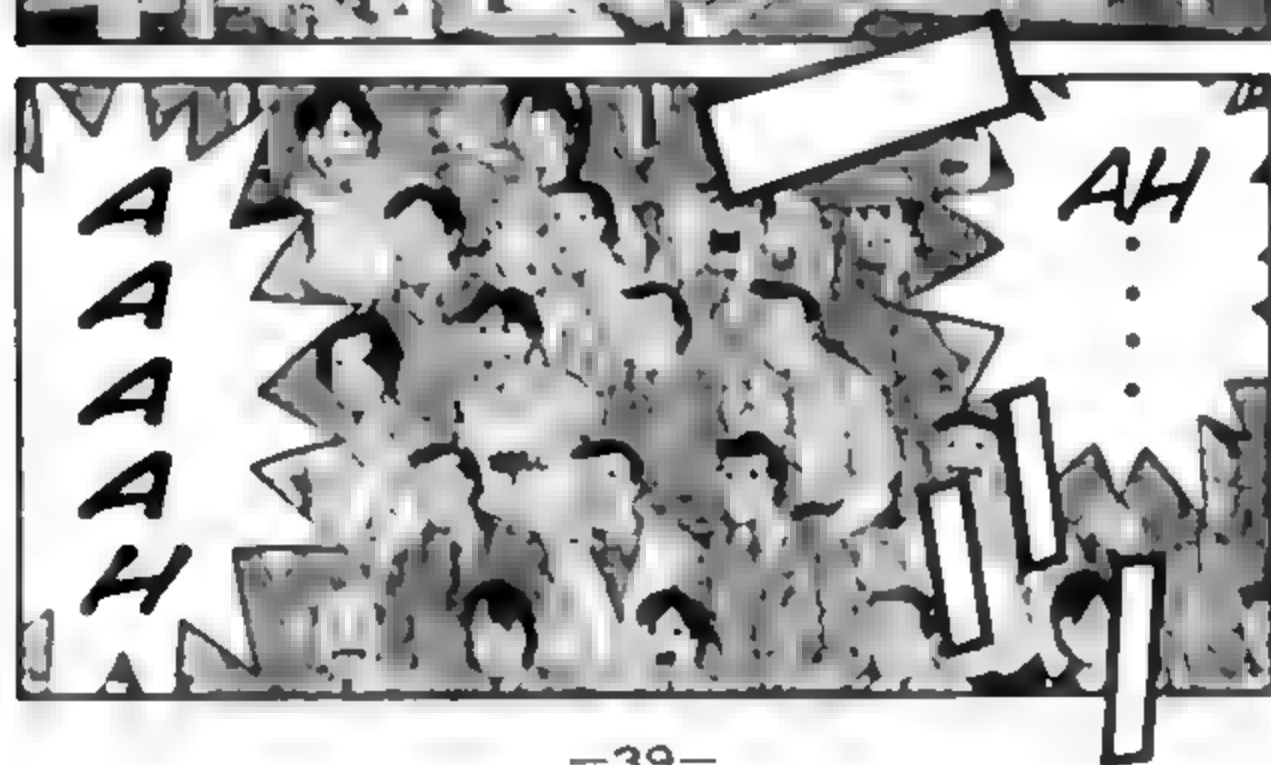
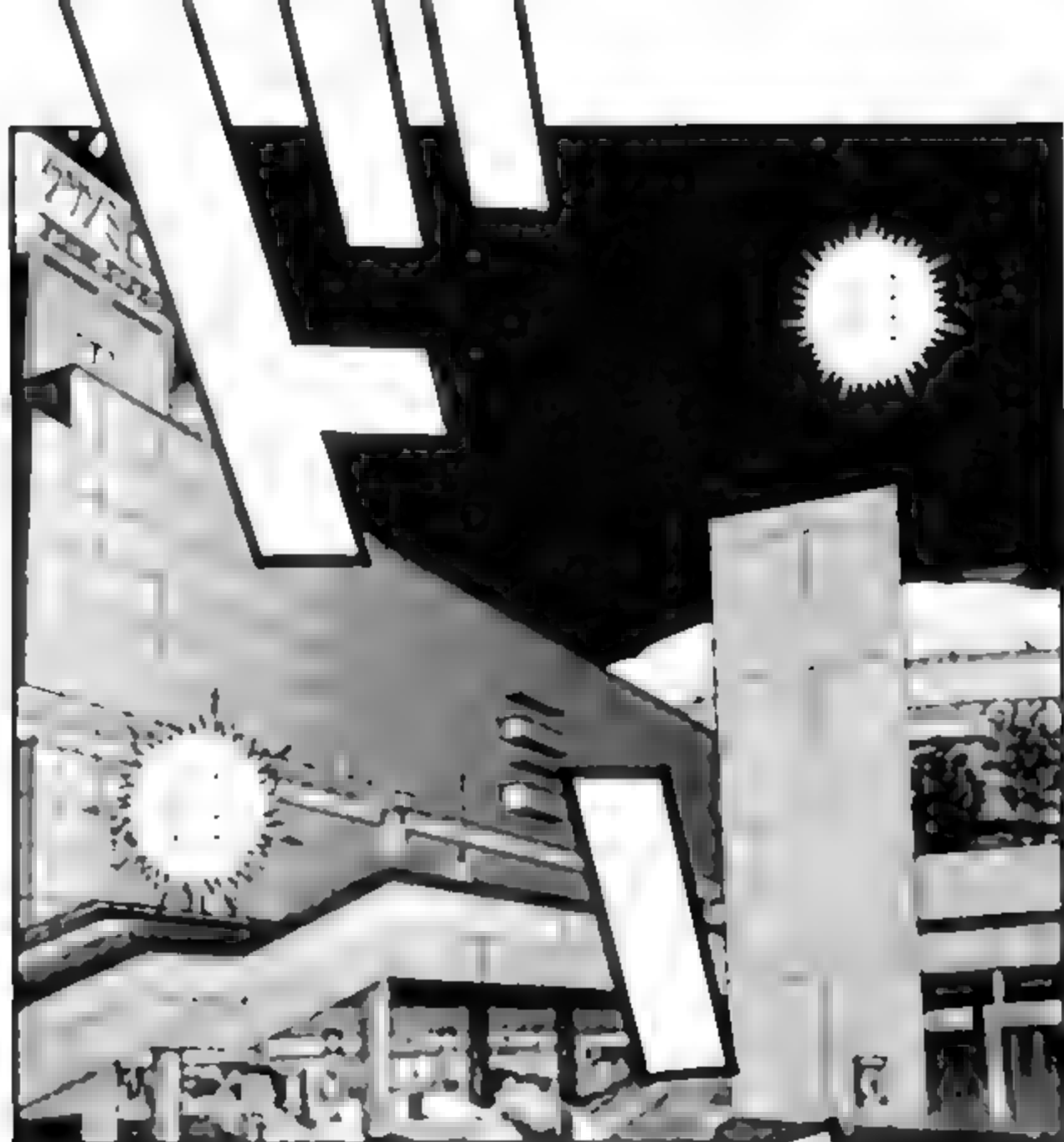












I'M NOT  
SURE WHAT'S  
HAPPENED,  
BUT THE  
CHALLENGER IS  
TAKING A  
VICTORY POSE!

RIGHT  
AS THE  
ATTENTION  
MOVED  
FROM THE  
FIGHT, THE  
CHAMPION  
FELL

THE  
CHAMPION'S  
FALLEN

WHAT!?  
WHAT IN  
THE WORLD  
JUST  
HAPPENED  
!?



# はじめての THE FIGHTING! 一歩

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**THE  
CHAMPION'S  
FALLEN**

**WHAT IN THE  
WORLD JUST  
HAPPENED!?**

**HE'S DOWN!  
THE REFEREE  
IS BEGINNING  
THE COUNT**

HE JUST  
KNOCKED  
HIM DOWN  
OR SOME-  
THING

1  
!!

WHAT  
THE  
HELL  
HAP-  
PENED

AOKI'S  
SAYING HE  
KNOCKED  
HIM DOWN

WHATEVER  
IT WAS, IT  
MUST'VE  
BEEN  
AWESOME

2  
!!

SHUT  
UP!

NE,  
NE!?

NE, NE,  
HOW'D  
HE DO  
IT!?

YAAAY,  
WAY  
TO GO  
MASARU!!

THAT  
BASTARD  
WHAT DID  
HE DO!?

ALMOST  
EVERY-  
ONE  
IN THE  
ARENA  
REACTED  
TO IT

I WASN'T  
THE ONLY  
ONE THAT  
FELL FOR  
IT

HE  
PRETENDED  
THAT HE  
SAW  
SOMETHING  
INCREDIBLE  
AND THEN  
LOOKED  
AWAY

THANK GOD  
WE'RE SO  
HIGH WE  
CAN SEE  
EVERYTHING  
IN THE  
STADIUM

YEAH!

D-,  
DID  
YOU  
SEE  
THAT!?





BUT IT  
WAS THE  
PROCESS  
OF LANDING  
IT THAT  
WAS  
AMAZING

SO THAT'S  
AOKI-SAN'S  
'NEW  
WEAPON'!!



IT WAS  
THE FROG  
PUNCH!

THE FROG  
PUNCH THAT  
WAS BEATEN  
EARLIER HIT



—  
YES  
!!

3  
!!



CAN HE GET  
UP BY THE  
END OF THE  
COUNT!?

THE  
CHAMPION  
PULLS  
HIMSELF  
UP

BUT HE'S  
HAVING  
TROUBLE

5  
!!



HE  
WON'T  
GET UP

I ONLY  
HIT IT  
ONCE, BUT  
IT TOOK A  
LOT OUT  
OF HIM

IT  
LANDED  
CLEAN



IMAE

I'VE  
NEVER  
SEEN  
ANY-  
THING  
SO  
DEX U-  
LOUS

I'VE  
NEVER  
SEEN  
ANYTHING  
LIKE IT

IN ALL  
MY  
YEARS AT  
RINGSIDE





THE  
CHAMPION'S  
IN HIS  
FIGHTING  
POSE

AAAHH,  
HE'S  
UP

北  
NORTH

IS THE 1  
MINUTE AND  
40 SECONDS  
REMAINING IN  
THE ROUND  
ENOUGH TO  
TAKE THE  
BELT!?

THE  
FIGHT  
RE-  
SUMES  
!

CHE

I  
THOUGHT  
HE'D  
WON IT

SO  
CLOSE!

FIGHT  
!!

THERE'S  
PLENTY  
OF TIME  
LEFT TO  
BEAT HIM

HE'S  
STILL  
GOT A  
GOOD  
CHANCE







THE  
CHAMPION'S  
DESPERATE

OOOOH,  
AND A  
CLINCH

HE GRABS  
ONTO THE  
CHALLENGER



BREAK!  
BREAK  
IT UP!!

FIGHT  
HIM IMAE,  
THAT'S  
TOO  
PUSSY



GET  
OFF  
ME!



AOKI-  
PUSH HIM  
AWAY AND  
BEAT HIS  
FACE IN

KNOCK  
HIM  
DOWN



HE'S  
TRYING TO  
BUY AS  
MUCH TIME  
AS POS-  
SIBLE

THE  
CHAMPION  
DESPER-  
ATELY  
CLINCHES!



GRAB HIM  
UNTIL THE  
END OF  
THE  
ROUND!!

HANG  
ON FOR  
YOUR  
LIFE



LET GO,  
DAMMIT  
!

SHIT



THERE  
SHOULDN'T  
BE ANY  
MAN ALIVE  
WHO WOULD  
TAKE THEIR  
EYES OFF  
OF THEIR  
OPPONENT  
WILLINGLY!

AN PEOPLE  
DO THAT?  
THE RING  
ISN'T A  
PLACE WHERE  
YOU CAN  
LOSE YOUR  
ATTENTION  
FOR A  
SECOND.

IS THAT  
HE COULD  
LOOK  
AWAY IN  
THE  
MIDDLE OF  
A MATCH.

WHAT'S  
MOST  
SURP-  
RISING



THE MAN  
IS TRULY  
STRONG!!

BUT  
THIS ISN'T  
SOMETHING  
THAT YOU  
CAN CREATE  
SIMPLY BY  
HAVING RING  
EXPERIENCE

THE FLYING  
FLAME  
AND  
AT A POINT  
IT IS

I'D THOUGHT  
THAT HE WAS  
JUST A FOOL  
USING  
RIDICULOUS  
TECHNIQUES



WITH  
SUCH A  
POWERFUL  
SPIRIT!

I'VE  
NEVER  
SEEN A  
FIGHTER



LET  
GO



THE  
CHAMPION  
HOLDS ON  
WITH EVERY  
ONCE OF  
STRENGTH  
HE HAS LEFT



AND HE  
GRABS  
YET  
AGAIN!



HE'LL  
USE THAT  
'LOOK  
AWAY' ON  
ME AGAIN

IF I  
LET  
GO

I'LL  
NEVER  
LET  
GO



IF I LET  
GO, I'M  
DONE  
FOR!!

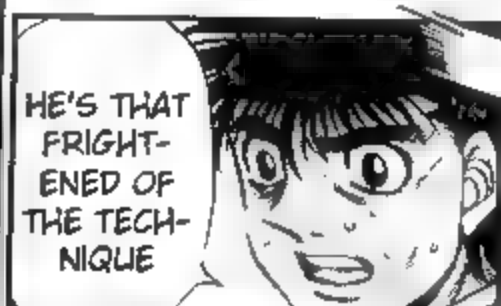
THAT'S A  
TERRIFYING  
TECHNIQUE.  
THERE'S NO  
WAY I WON'T  
FALL FOR IT



COME  
ON,  
FIGHT

I DIDN'T  
COME  
HERE TO  
WATCH  
TWO GUYS  
DANCING

YOU'RE  
WASTING  
OUR TIME!





AH  
...

COULD YOU  
LOOK AWAY  
FROM YOUR  
OPPONENT  
IN THAT  
KIND OF  
SITUATION!?

BECAUSE  
THEY  
CAN'T  
USE IT

IF IT'S  
THAT  
PERFECT  
A TECH-  
NIQUE...

IN THE  
RING  
COUNTLESS  
PUNCHES  
COME AT  
YOU EVERY  
SECOND

THEN WHY  
DON'T  
MORE  
PEOPLE  
USE IT!?

I'D  
PROBABLY  
BE HAVING  
THE SAME  
FEARS

IF I WAS  
IN IMAE'S  
PLACE...

BUT  
PLAYING DEAD  
SUCCESSFULLY  
CONFUSED THE  
CHAMPION AND  
THEN HE RAN  
INTO THIS

GUHA

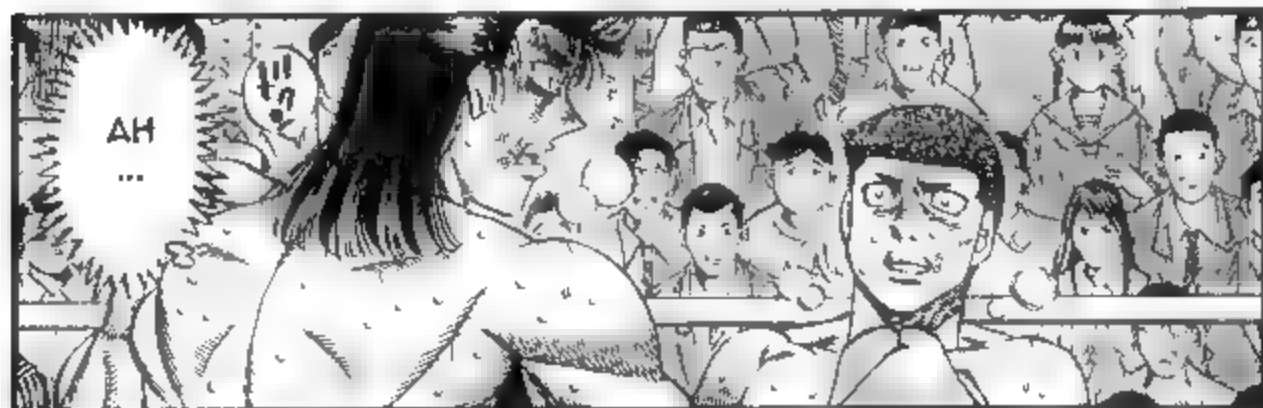
GIVE IT A  
BREAK,  
MAN

THE  
DISTANCE  
BETWEEN  
THEM  
WIDENS

A  
POWERFUL  
UPPER  
CUT!!

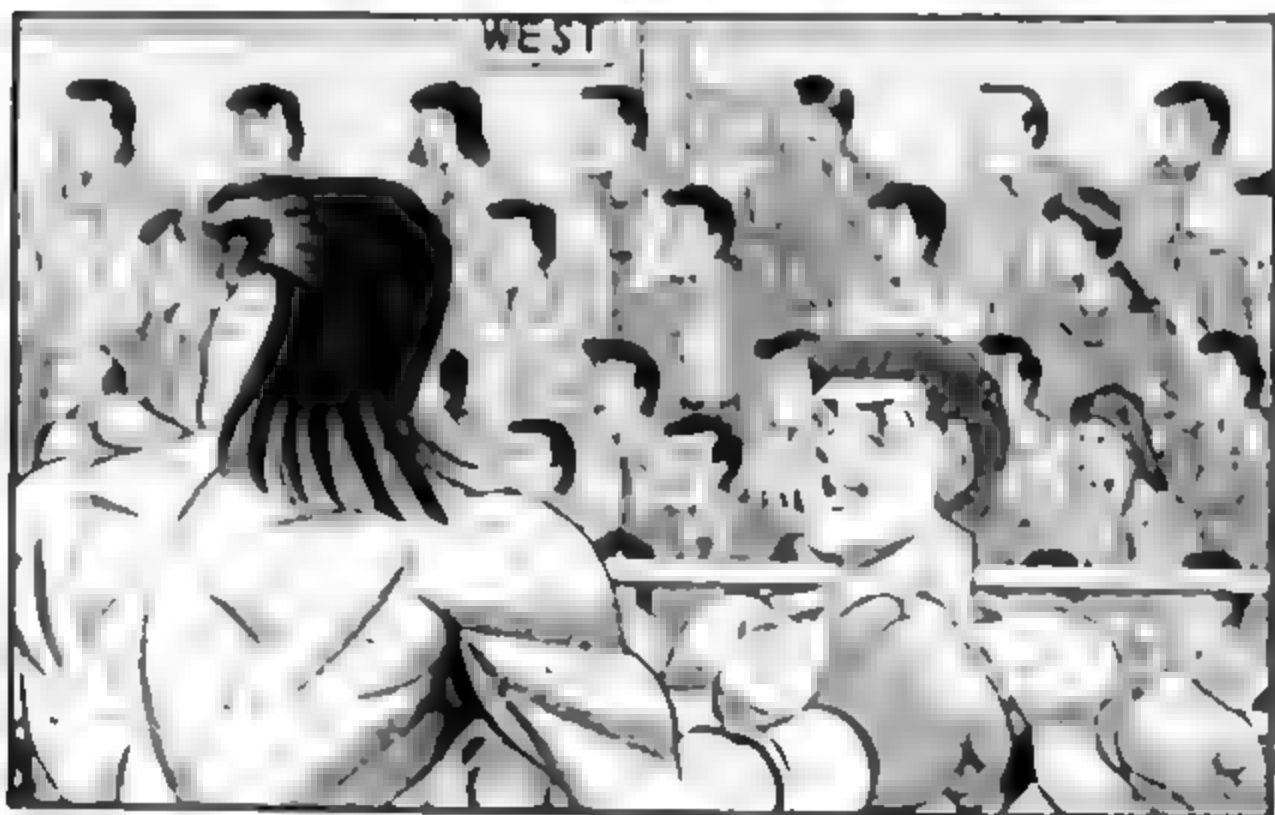


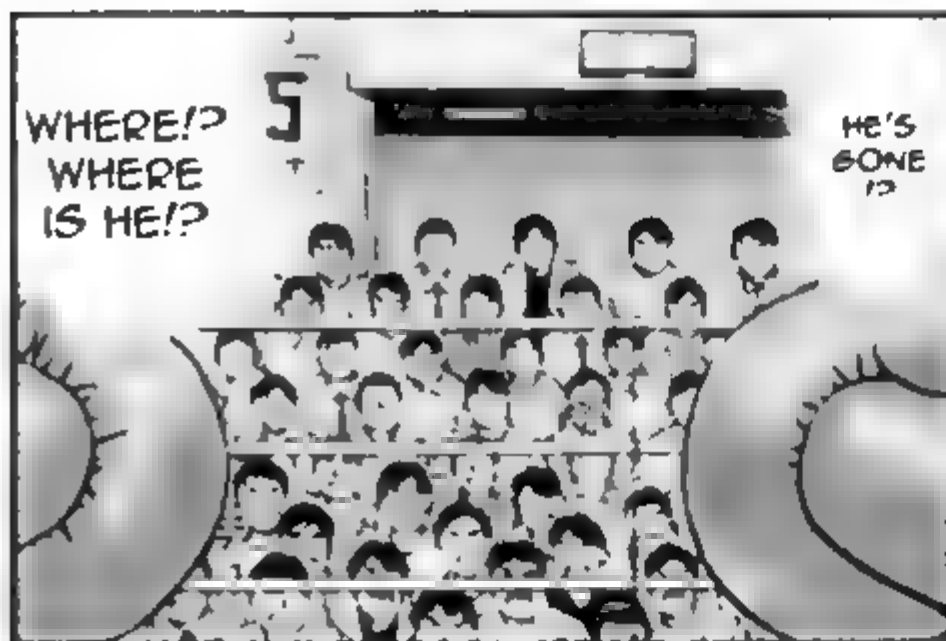
OH  
SHIT!!



AH  
...









THIS MUST  
BE WHAT  
CAUSED THE  
PREVIOUS  
DOWN!!

AAAAH!  
THE  
FROG  
PUNCH





THE REVIVED  
FROG  
PUNCH!!  
AND

AND THE  
CHAMPION  
FALLS  
ONCE  
MORE

WILL THIS  
SEAL THE  
FIGHT!?  
WILL THE  
BELT CHANGE  
HANDS!?

I-, I  
MISSED IT  
AGAIN...

WAY TO  
DO IT,  
MASARU

THE FROG  
PUNCH  
RETURNS!  
AND THE  
CHAMPION IS  
DOWN YET  
AGAIN!!

KOURAKUEN  
HALL IS  
GOING WILD!  
WHAT WILL  
HAPPEN  
NEXT!?

WILL THE  
TITLE CHANGE  
HANDS!?  
DO WE HAVE  
A NEW  
CHAMPION!?

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TRANSLATOR SNOOPY

ラウンド  
**Round 156**

**Conclusive  
Difference**



I'M DOING  
PRETTY  
DAMN  
GOOD!

I  
KNOCKED  
THE  
CHAMPION  
DOWN  
TWICE  
NOW

3  
!!

OR  
IPPO'S  
NATURAL  
POWER

I DON'T  
HAVE  
TAKAMURA-  
SAN'S  
INSTINCTS

4  
!!

TO LIVE,  
THE FROG  
HAD TO  
ADAPT

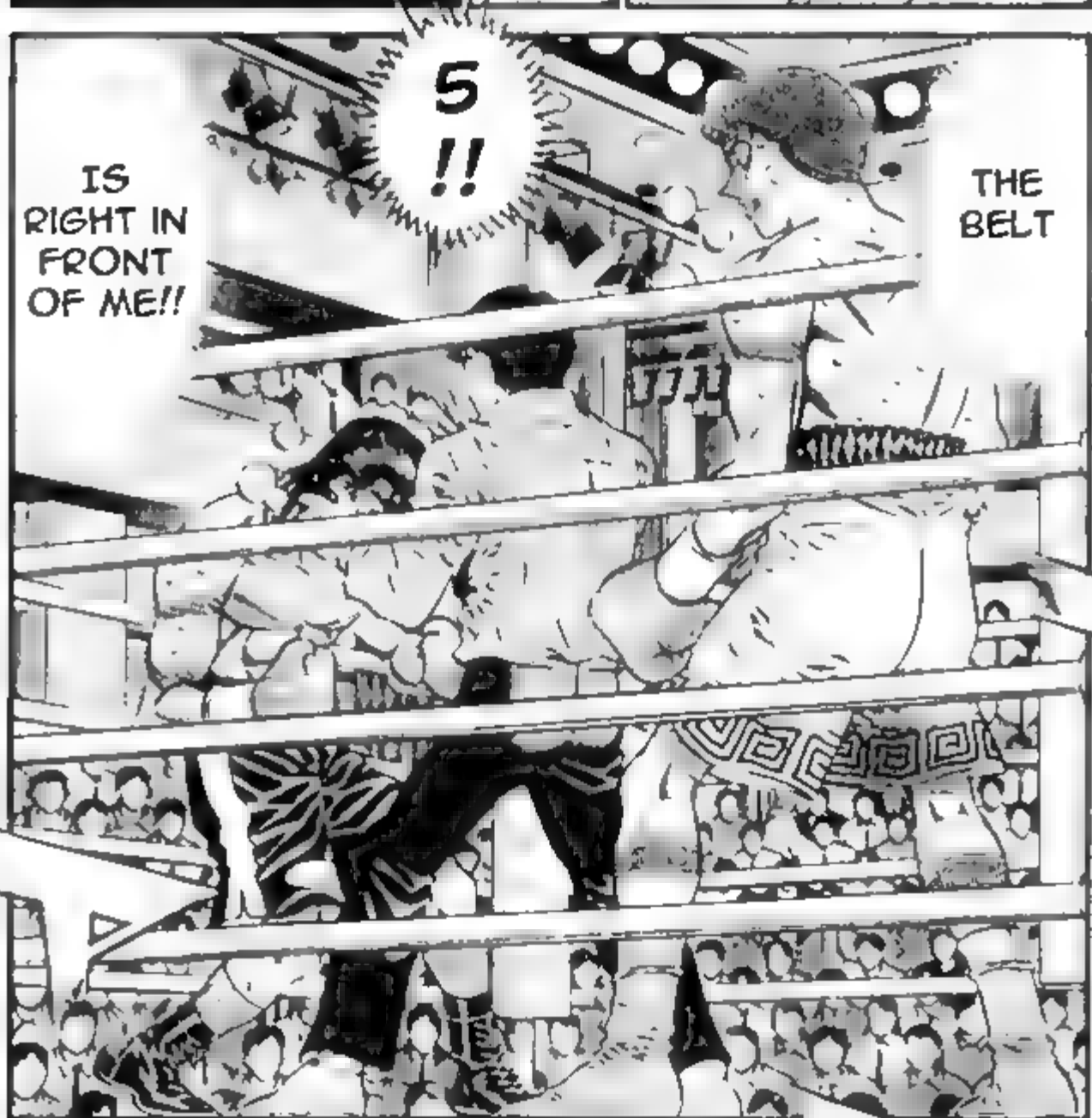
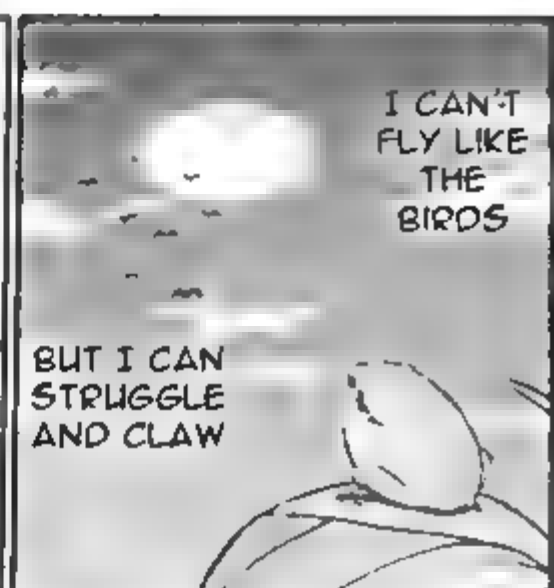
BUT THEN  
I WAS  
THROWN  
INTO THE  
BOXING  
WORLD

I USED  
TO BOAST  
ABOUT  
BEATING UP  
WEAKLINGS

IS WHAT  
GAVE ME  
THIS 'NEW  
WEAPON'!!

AND THE  
ADAPTATION  
THAT I'VE  
DONE OVER  
THE PAST 6  
YEARS

I WAS  
LIKE A  
FROG IN  
A TINY  
POND





7 !!





THE  
REFEREE  
CHECKS  
HIM OUT!  
AND WE'RE  
CONTINUING  
!!

AAAAH  
AND THE  
CHAMPION  
STANDS AT  
THE COUNT  
OF 8!

CAN YOU  
STILL  
FIGHT?  
HM?

ZE ZE  
EH EH

ZE ZE  
EH EH



HE CAN DO  
IT! JUST  
ONE MORE  
KNOCKDOWN  
AND THE  
BELT'S HIS!



THIS IS  
TURNING  
OUT  
GREAT!

WHY ARE  
YOU  
MAKING  
THAT FACE,  
SENPAI?!



DAMN,  
HE STILL  
WANTS  
TO  
FIGHT

I  
THOUGHT  
I WAS  
SO  
CLOSE



WHY?

HE'S  
SUDDENLY  
EXHAUSTED  
...



HA HA  
AH AH

HA HA  
AH AH



THE FACT  
THAT THAT  
LAST ONE  
DIDN'T END  
IT... HURTS



AH



THIS  
IS  
AOKI-  
SAN

THERE'S  
NO  
REASON  
TO  
WORRY



AND  
THAT'S ONLY  
MULTIPLIED  
BY THE  
PRESSURE  
ONE FEELS  
DURING  
A TITLE  
MATCH

AFTER EVEN  
ONE OF  
THOSE, HE  
SHOULD BE  
FEELING THE  
PAIN EVEN  
MORE

TECHNIQUES  
LIKE THE FROG  
PUNCH AND  
LOOK AWAY  
ARE HIGH RISK  
WITH HIGH  
RETURNS AND  
TAKE A LOT  
OUT OF PEOPLE  
MENTALLY



LOOK!  
THE  
TIME'S UP

HE WASN'T  
ABLE TO  
FINISH IT IN  
THIS  
ROUND



! YOU MAY  
HAVE TO  
DEAL WITH  
THIS SOME-  
DAY, TOO



THE  
FATIGUE  
PILES UP  
LIKE YOU  
WOULDN'T  
BELIEVE

THE AIR'S  
AT LEAST  
TWICE AS  
HEAVY IN A  
TITLE  
MATCH  
RING

THE  
CHALLENGER  
PUTS HIS  
HEAD TO THE  
HEAVENS! HE  
WAS TRULY  
CLOSE THIS  
TIME

AND  
THERE'S  
THE GONG,  
ROUND 6  
IS OVER

THERE ARE 4  
ROUNDS LEFT  
IN THIS FIGHT!  
HOW WILL THEY  
GO!?

SO IT'S A  
MENTAL  
BATTLE...

SO IT'S  
HARD TO  
REALLY  
COMPARE  
THEM

IMAE  
SHOULD  
BE IN  
WORSE  
SHAPE  
THAN  
AOKI

AOKI-  
SAN...

BUT THIS IS  
THE FIRST  
TIME AOKI'S  
EVER HAD TO  
DEAL WITH A  
FIGHT LIKE  
THIS



BUT YOU  
DID WELL  
STANDING  
UP!

HIS  
UNORTHODOX  
STYLE IS  
THE WORST  
POSSIBLE  
KIND FOR  
YOU TO GO  
AGAINST

YOU GOT  
BACK TO  
ME!!



REST AS  
MUCH AS  
POSSIBLE

WELL  
DONE,  
HURRY  
AND TAKE  
A SEAT!



HE'S  
STRONG



ZE ZE  
H H



ZE ZE  
H H



I STILL  
CAN'T  
FIGURE  
OUT WHAT  
IT IS

BUT  
WHAT  
IS

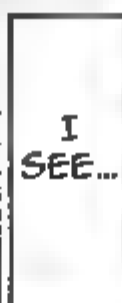
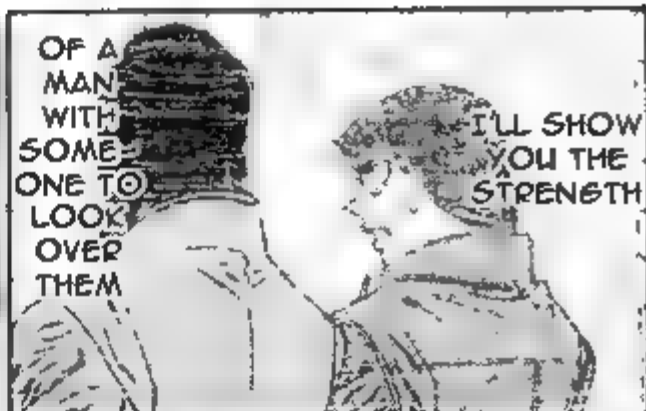


THERE  
MUST BE A  
FUNDAMENTAL  
DIFFERENCE  
BETWEEN THE  
TWO OF US!

HE'S  
WITHOUT A  
DOUBT THE  
STRONGEST  
MAN I'VE  
EVER  
FOUGHT

IT'S NOT  
ABILITY  
STYLE  
COMPAT-  
IBILITY









ROUND  
7!!



GOT  
IT!!

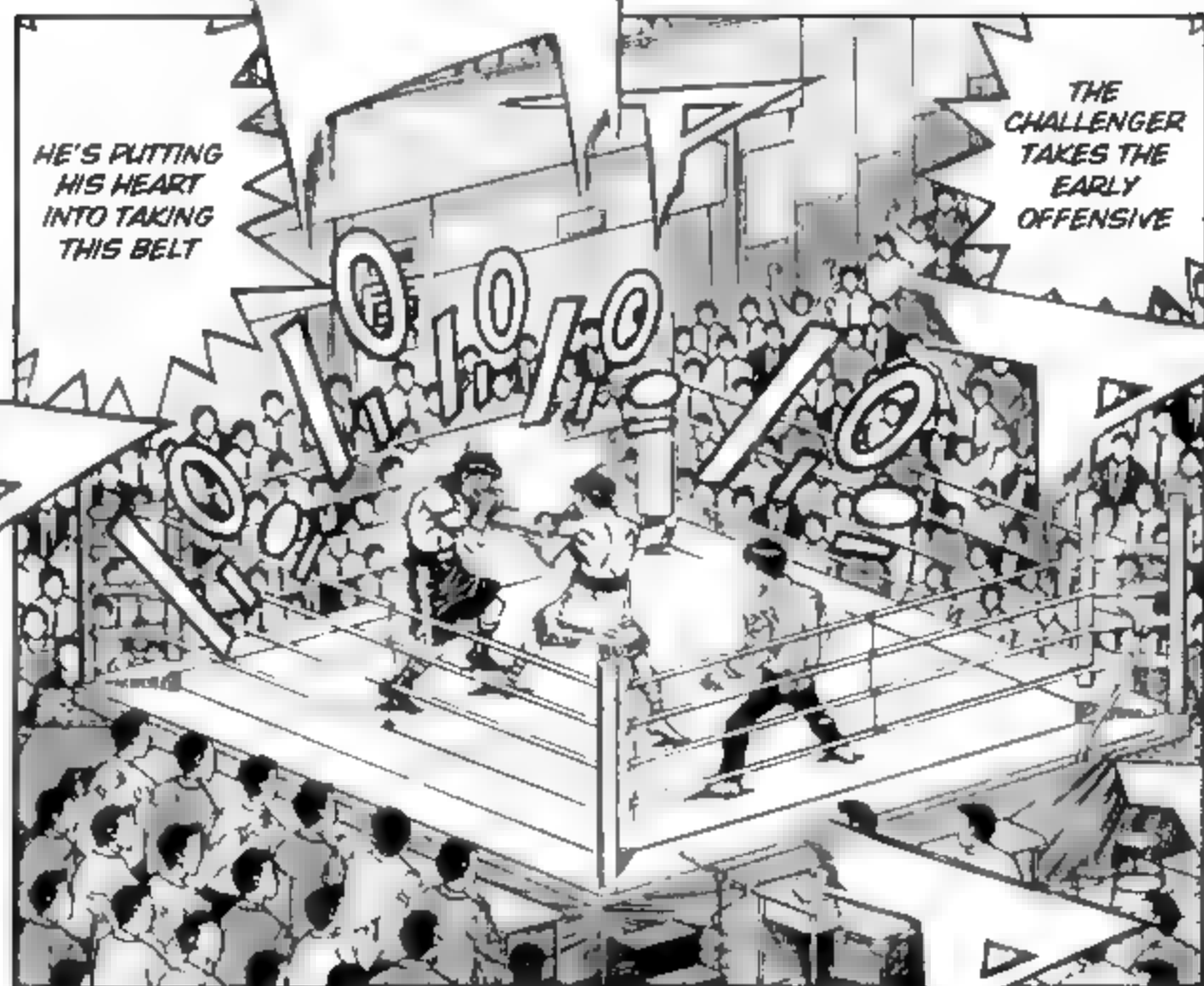


WHEN  
I'M THE  
JAPANESE  
CHAMPION



HE'S PUTTING  
HIS HEART  
INTO TAKING  
THIS BELT

THE  
CHALLENGER  
TAKES THE  
EARLY  
OFFENSIVE



YOU'RE  
ALMOST  
THERE

FORGET  
STAMINA,  
GO FOR IT!



COME ON,  
AOKI!! RIP  
THE BELT  
OFF HIS  
DEAD  
BODY!!



GO  
FOR  
IT

MAS-  
ARU!!



YOU CAN  
DO IT,  
AOKI-SAN





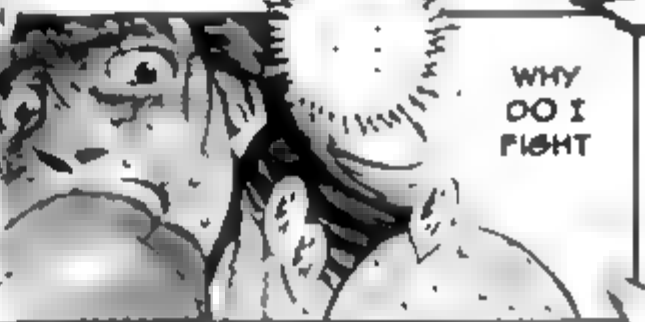
WILL  
DO



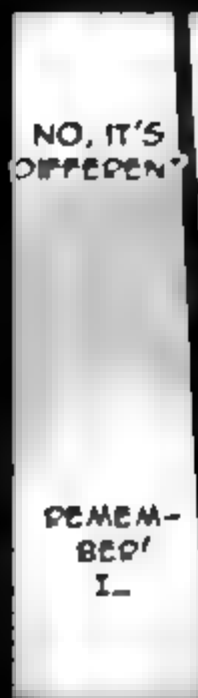
THE  
CONCLUSIVE  
DIFFERENCE



THE FISTS  
TELL THEIR  
PURPOSES  
CLEARLY



WHY  
DO I  
FIGHT



NO, IT'S  
DIFFERENT

REMEM-  
BER!  
I...



BUT WHY  
AM I  
FIGHTING?

BECAUSE  
I'M THE  
CHAM-  
PION!



KNUCKLES  
THAT FIGHT  
TO PRO-  
TECT  
SOMEONE  
SPECIAL

THOSE  
KNUCKLES  
THAT HAVE  
BEEN  
INSPIRED  
INTO  
OURSELVES

IF I  
WAS A  
LITTLE  
STRONGER

I'M  
SORRY,  
SACHIKO

...



WHAT'S WITH  
YOU, THERE'S  
NOTHING  
WRONG WITH  
CALLIN  
AN UGLY  
PERSON  
UGLY

LEAVE  
SACHIKO  
ALONE



DAMN  
YOU...

KA-  
CHAN



YOU  
KNOW,  
BOXING!

WHEN I  
REALLY GET  
INTO IT,  
IT TURNS  
OUT I'M  
ENJOYING  
ALL OF IT



DON'T  
PUSH  
YOURSELF  
FOR ME



HOW'S  
THIS,  
NOW I  
CAN DO  
IT



I'D  
LOVE  
TO!

THEN LET'S  
GO SOME-  
WHERE  
AFTER THIS  
NEXT FIGHT

WE CAN'T  
REALLY  
DATE WITH  
YOU -  
ALWAYS  
TRAINING

KA-  
CHAN...



I RUN  
MORE THAN  
ANYONE  
ELSE! I TRAIN  
HARDER  
THAN ANYONE  
ELSE!!

REST!?  
HOW  
COULD  
I

I DON'T  
GET IT

NOW,  
JUST  
REST A  
LITTLE  
BIT

FUCK, FUCK

THAT  
YOU  
DO NOT  
GET  
HURT

WE'LL  
JUST BE  
CAREFUL

HIS LATEST  
CHANGE OF  
PACE HAS  
GARNERED  
SOME BOOS  
FROM THE  
CROWD!

THE  
CHAMPION  
CLINCHES  
IN THIS  
ROUND AS  
WELL

SA-  
CHIKO

IT'S  
FOR  
YOU

YOU CALL  
YOURSELF  
THE  
CHAMPION  
!?

LET GO  
OF ME!

FIGHT HIM  
FAIR AND  
SQUARE

YOU'RE  
BEING  
AN ASS

SHE  
SUPPORTED  
ME,  
WATCHED  
OVER ME



EVEN  
THOUGH I  
WAS ALWAYS  
SO MEAN  
TO HER,  
SHE NEVER  
STOPPED  
THINKING  
ABOUT ME

PLEASE  
JUST  
LEAVE  
ME BE



LEAVE ME  
ALONE, I'M  
TRYING TO  
CONCENTRATE  
ON MY NEXT  
FIGHT!

DON'T  
VISIT ME  
AGAIN!

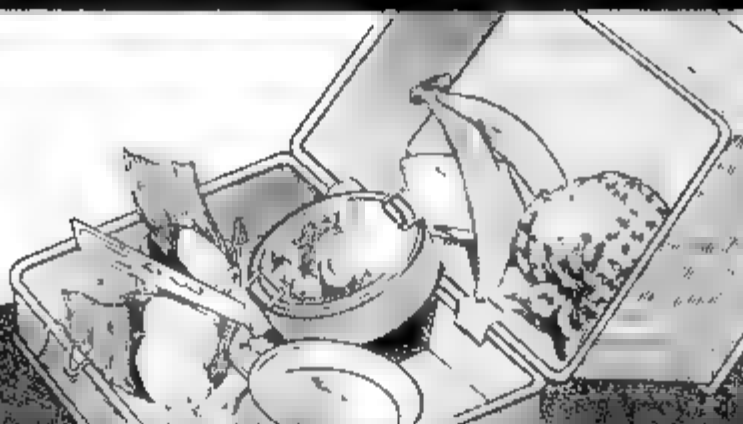


YOU  
NEED  
YOUR  
STRENGTH  
...



AT  
LEAST  
EAT  
SOME  
LUNCH

BUT BEFORE I  
KNEW IF I HAD  
BECOME SO  
NARROW-  
MINDED THAT I  
FORGOT  
EVEN THAT



YOU'RE  
THE  
REASON I  
STARTED  
BOXING IN  
THE FIRST  
PLACE

I CAN'T  
BELIEVE THAT  
I ACTUALLY  
THOUGHT THAT  
I WAS ABLE  
TO SUPPORT  
MYSELF ON MY  
OWN!!



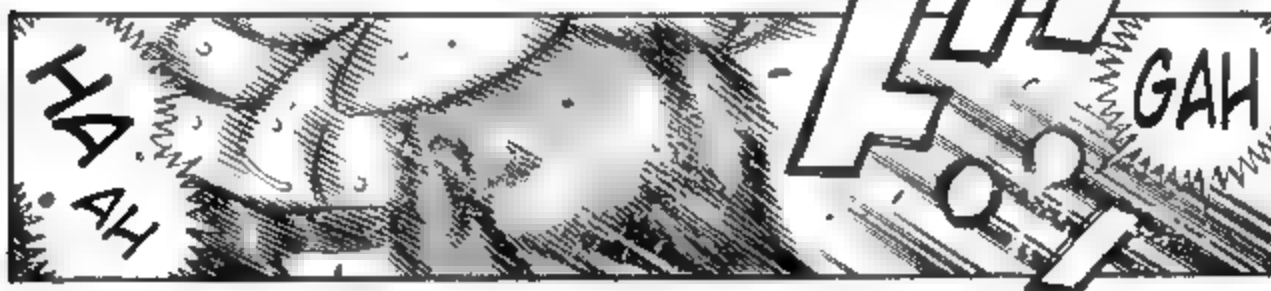
I  
THREW HER  
AWAY, I  
ACTUALLY  
DID!





BUT  
THIS  
MAN IS  
DIFFER-  
ENT!

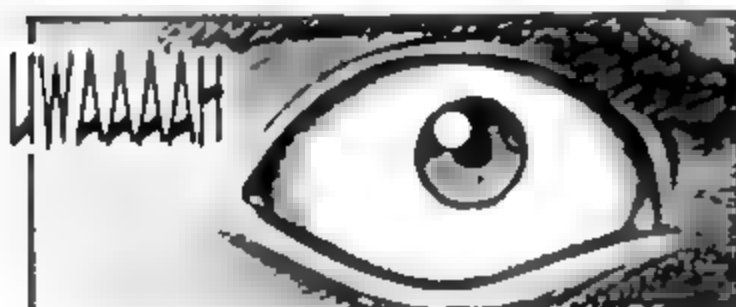
HE'S  
COME  
THIS FAR  
CARRYING  
EVERY-  
THING  
WITH HIM



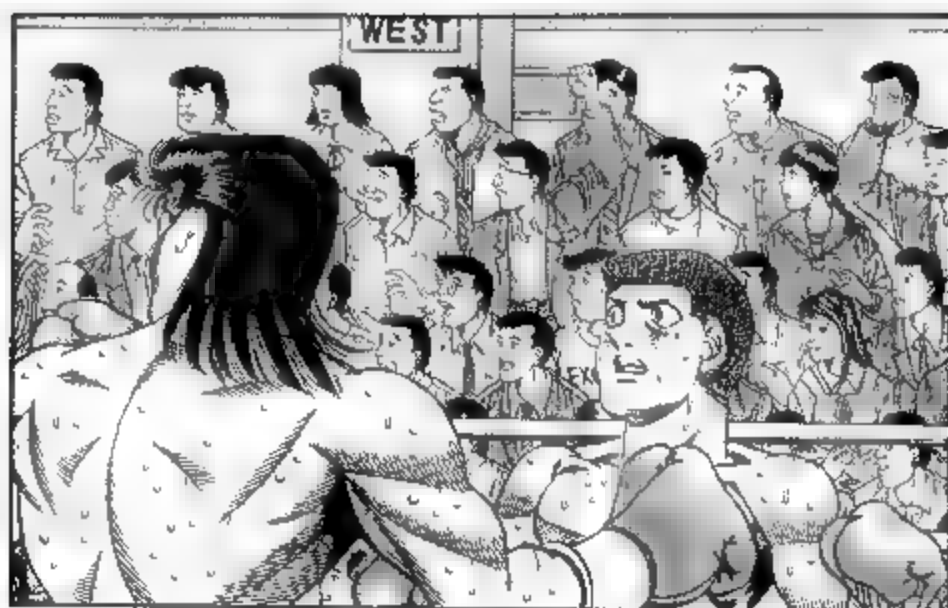
THEIR  
DISTANCE  
WIDENS  
AND

BODY  
BLOW

THE  
CHAMPION  
BUCKLES  
OVER



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O-  
OH NO,  
I'M BEING  
PULLED  
IN BY HIS  
EYES  
AGAIN

BUT IF I  
LOOK THAT  
WAY I'LL  
GET HIT BY  
ANOTHER  
FROG  
PUNCH

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はじめる  
一歩  
THE FIGHTING!

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**Round 457** マン アト ウーマン  
**Man & Woman**



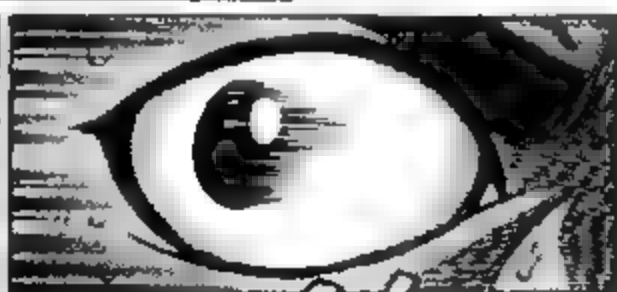
YOU  
CAN'T  
AVOID  
THIS  
TECH-  
NIQUE

THERE'S  
NO WAY  
TO  
IGNORE  
YOUR  
INSTINCTS  
!



BUT IF I TAKE  
ANOTHER FROG  
PUNCH I WON'T  
BE ABLE TO  
STAND

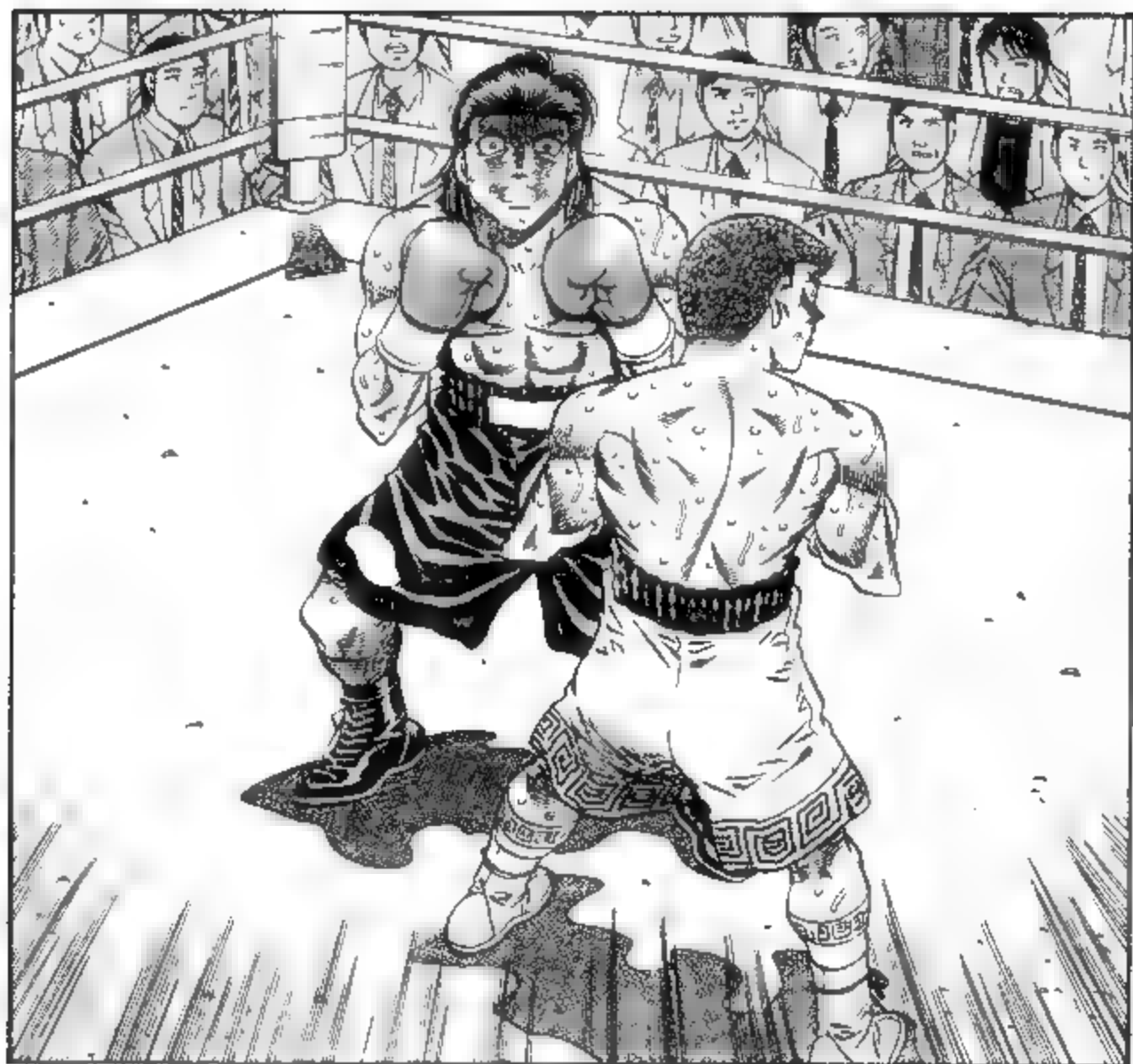
I'VE  
LOST!!



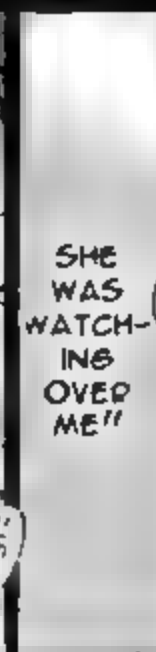
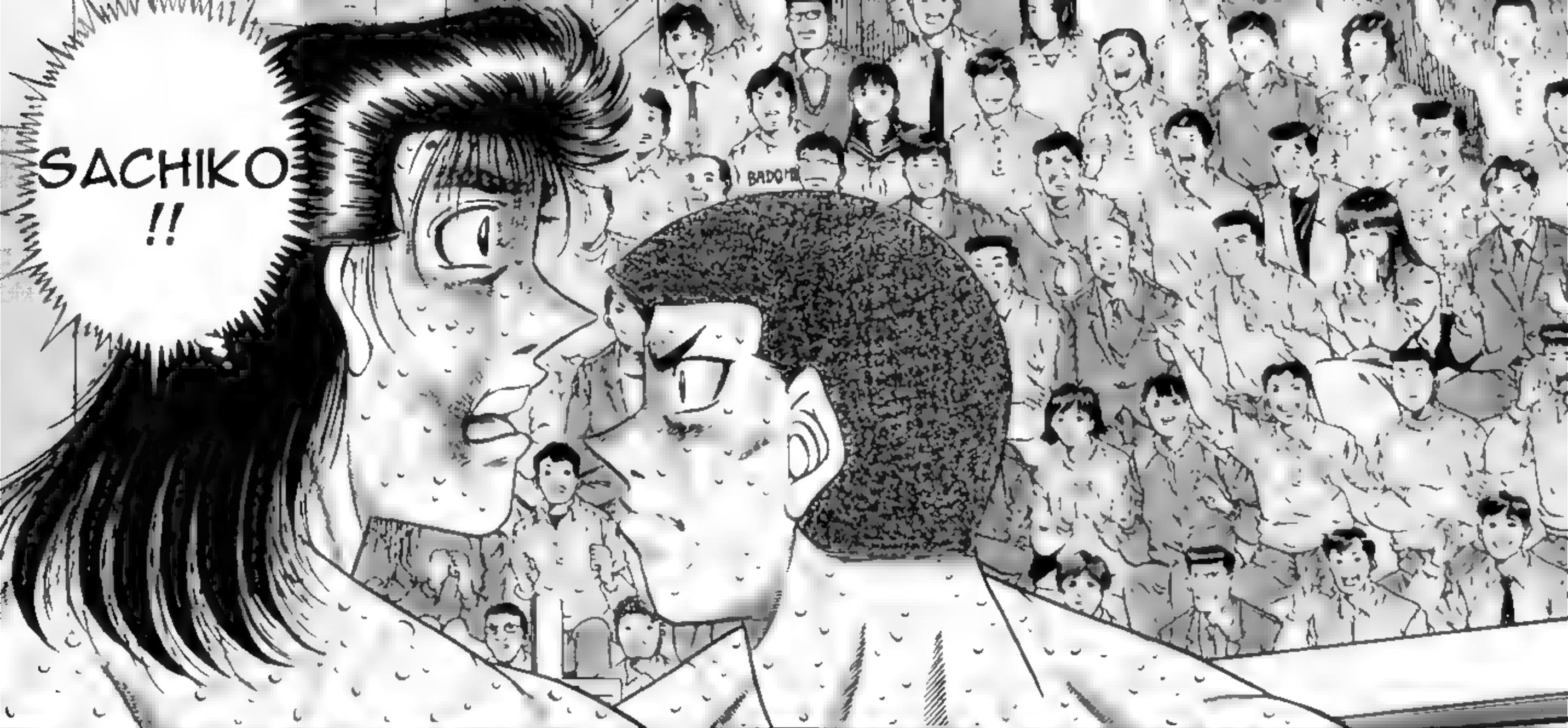
I'VE  
GOT  
TO...

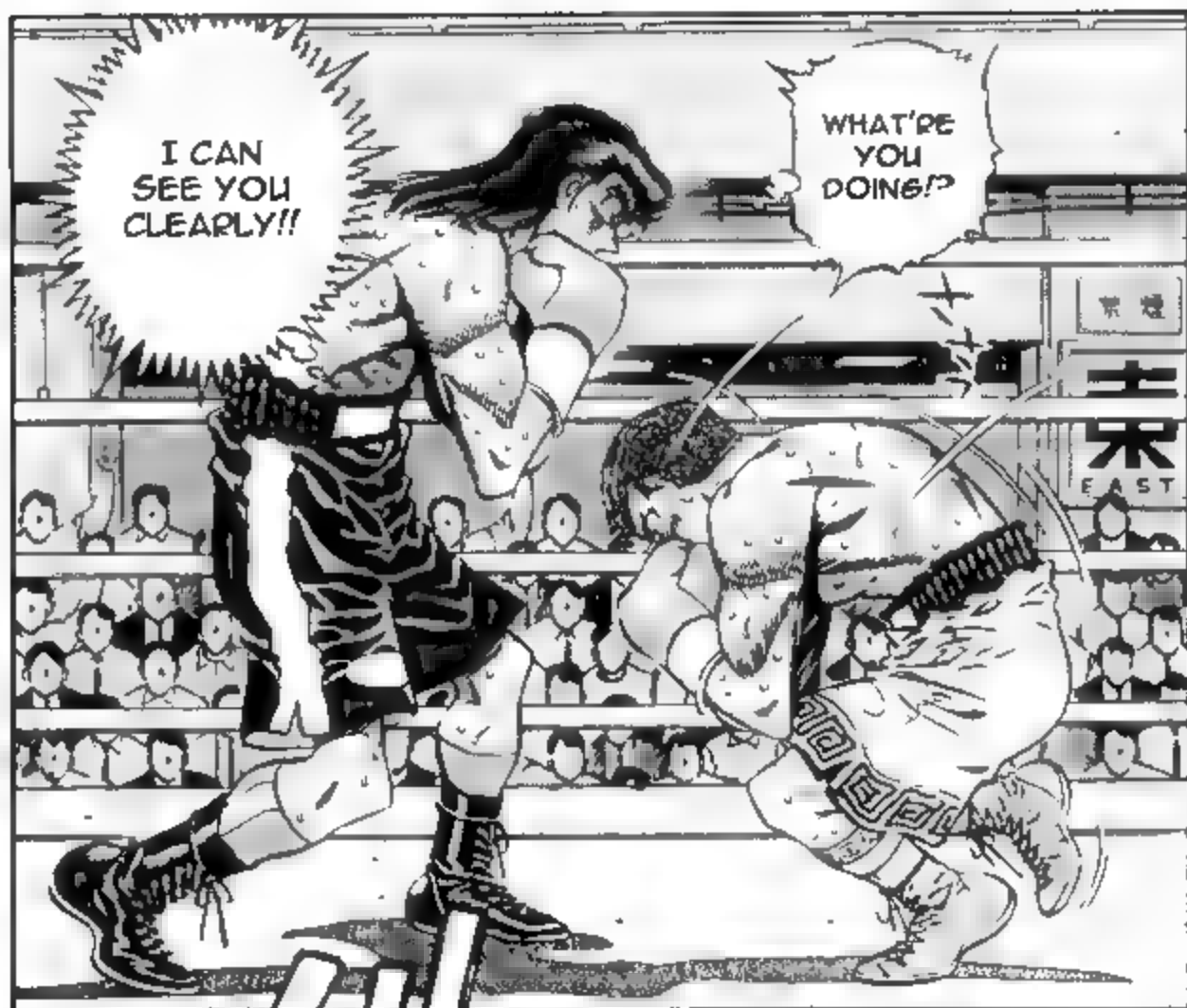
I  
CAN'T  
DO IT











7





A FULL  
LEAP!  
BUT IT'S  
AVOIDED

AAAAH  
THE FROG  
PUNCH  
MISSES

A  
FUTILE  
ATTEMPT

OH  
NO!

I-  
IT WAS  
DODGED

THAT'S A  
DANGER-  
OUS  
MISS!!!

HE PUT  
TOO MUCH  
POWER  
INTO IT  
AND  
JUMPED  
TOO HIGH

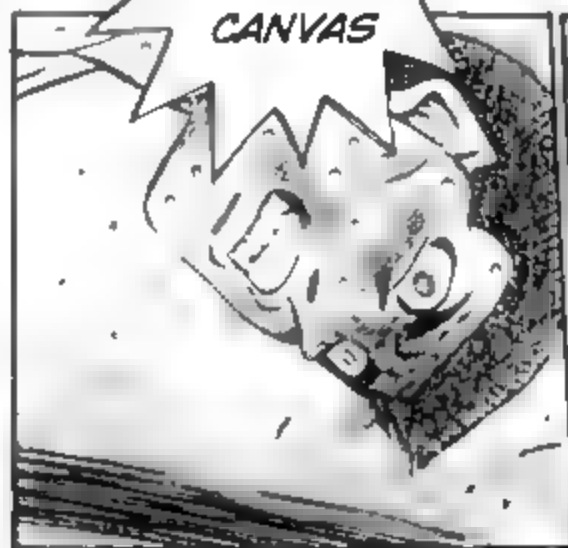




THE FROG'S  
HIT RIGHT  
OUT OF THE  
AIR

RIGHT  
!!

HE'S  
HEADING  
RIGHT  
FOR THE  
CANVAS



MASARU  
...



AOKI-!!





HE HELD  
ON! THE  
CHALLENGER  
HELD ON

AAAH, HE  
DOESN'T  
FALL!



AMA-  
ZING!

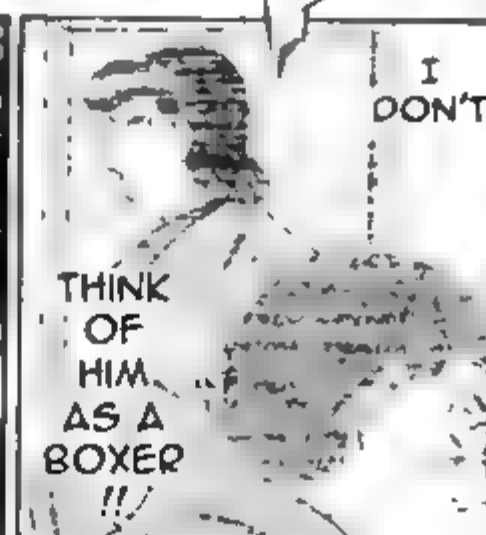
SO THIS  
IS THE  
STRENGTH  
OF A MAN  
WITH  
SOMEONE  
TO WATCH  
OVER  
HIM!!



I CAN'T  
GIVE UP  
WITH THE  
BELT THIS  
CLOSE

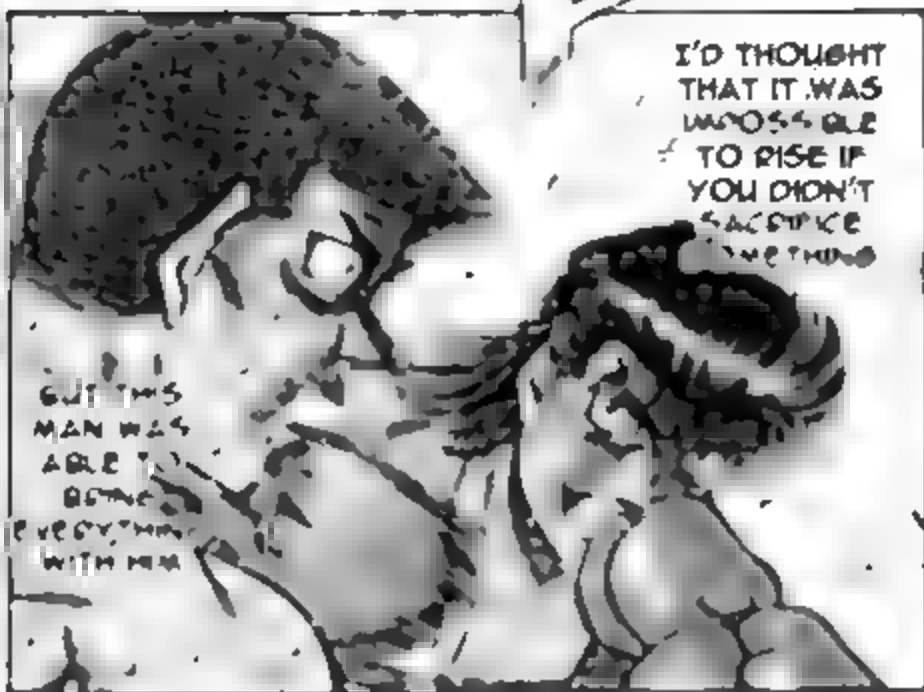
...  
FOOL!  
I'LL  
NEVER  
FALL





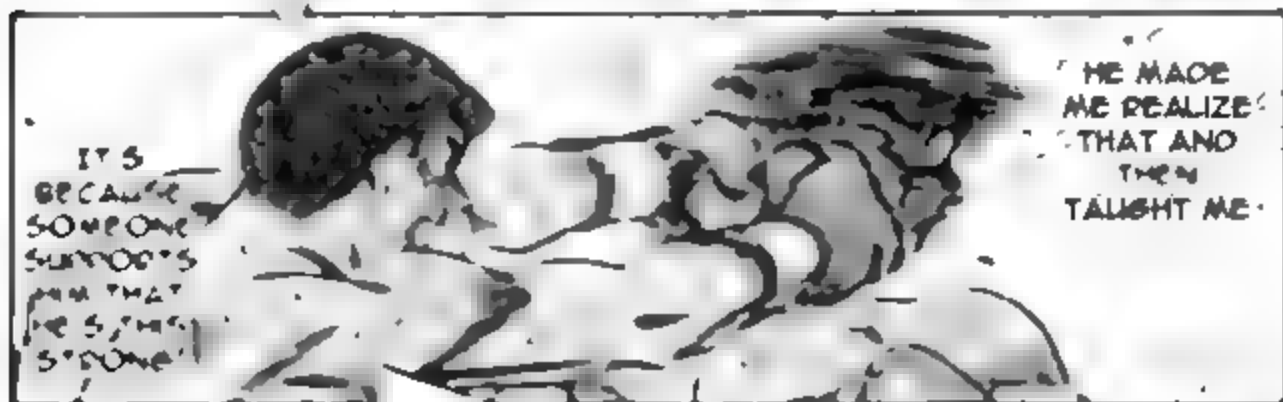


I'M  
JEALOUS  
!!



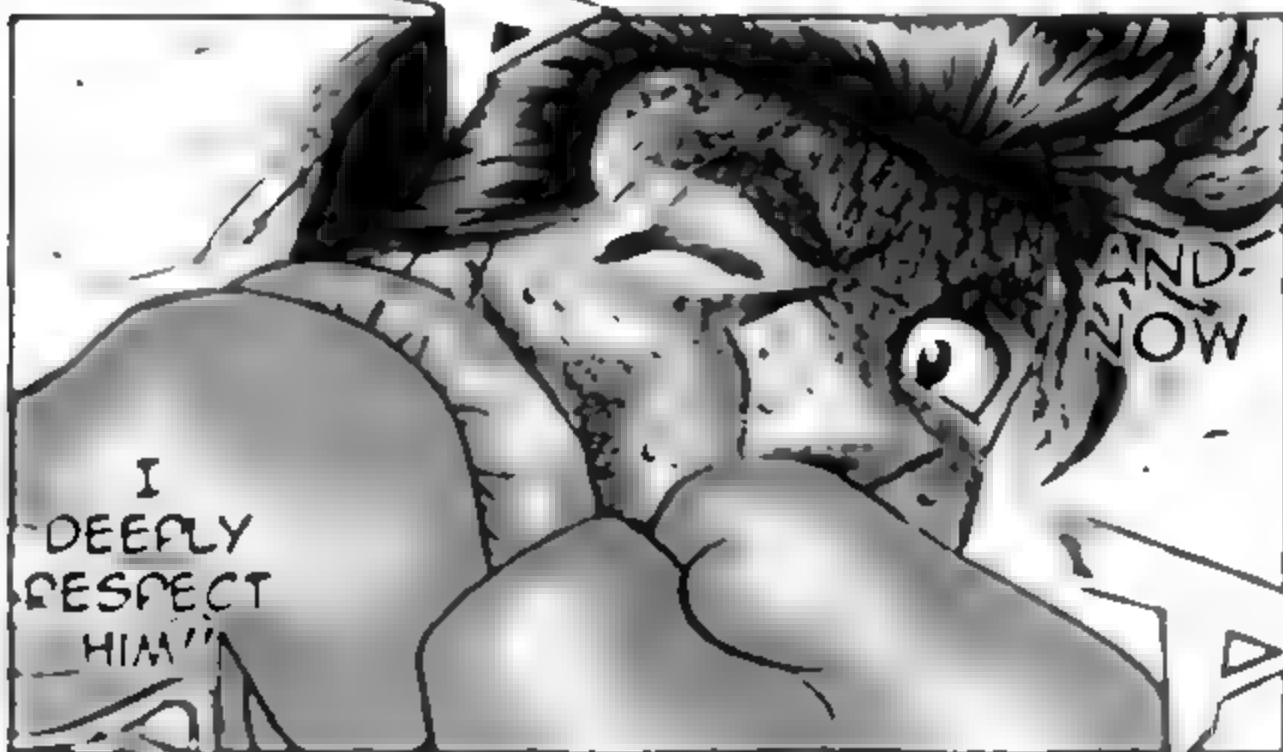
I'D THOUGHT  
THAT IT WAS  
IMPOSSIBLE  
TO RISE IF  
YOU DIDN'T  
SACRIFICE  
SOMETHING

BUT THIS  
MAN WAS  
ABLE TO  
GET  
EVERYTHING  
WITH HIM



HE MADE  
ME REALIZE  
THAT AND  
THEN  
TAUGHT ME

IT'S  
BECAUSE  
SOMEONE  
SUPPORTS  
HIM THAT  
HE'S THIS  
STRONG

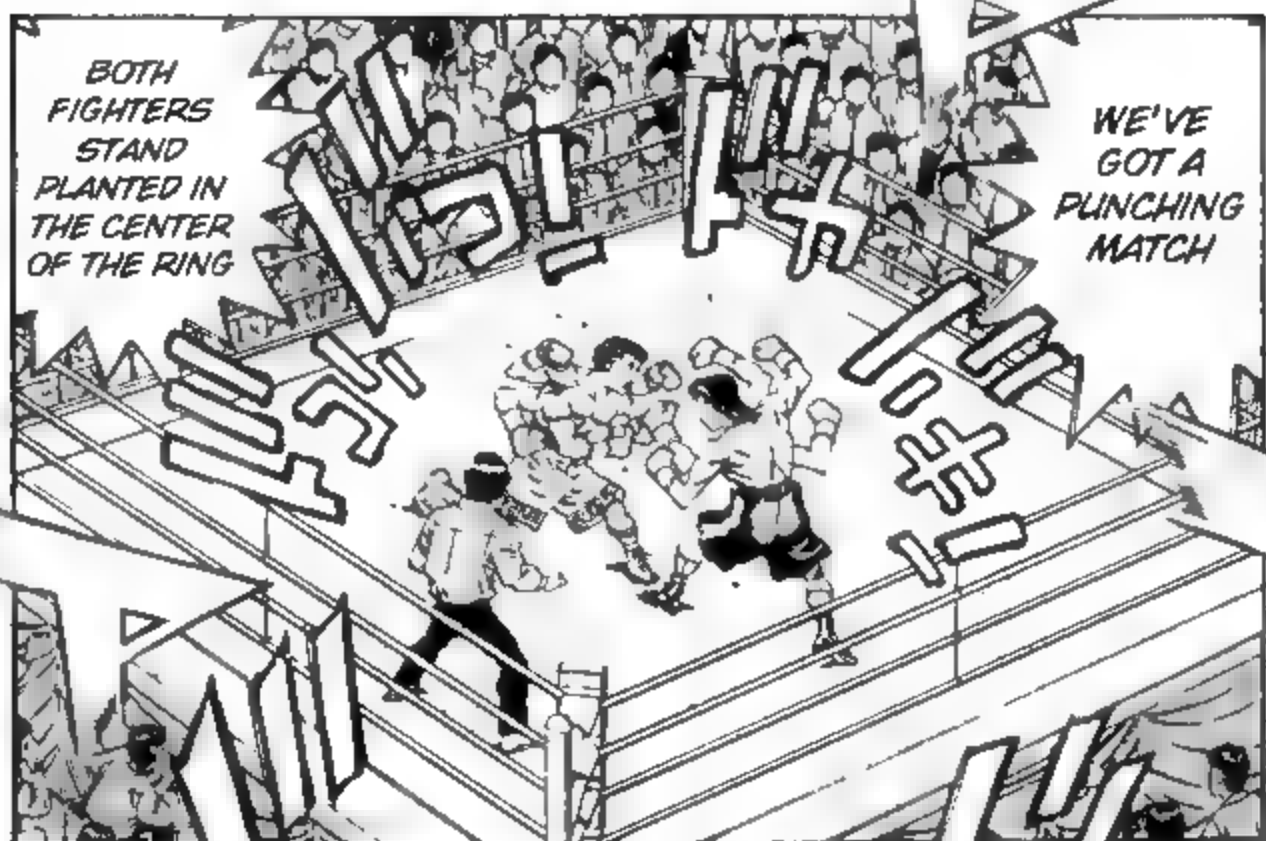


AND  
NOW

I  
DEEPLY  
RESPECT  
HIM

BOTH  
FIGHTERS  
STAND  
PLANTED IN  
THE CENTER  
OF THE RING

WE'VE  
GOT A  
PUNCHING  
MATCH



BUT I'LL  
FIGHT HIM  
TILL THE  
VERY  
END!!!

THIS  
MAN IS  
STRONG!  
I MAY  
NOT BE  
ABLE TO  
DEFEAT  
HIM!

HAS HE  
GOTTEN  
SERIOUS  
AGAIN?!

SUDDENLY  
HE'S NOT  
CLINCHING  
ANYMORE



THAT IT'S  
BECAUSE  
SHE SUP-  
PORTS ME  
THAT I'M  
STRONG!

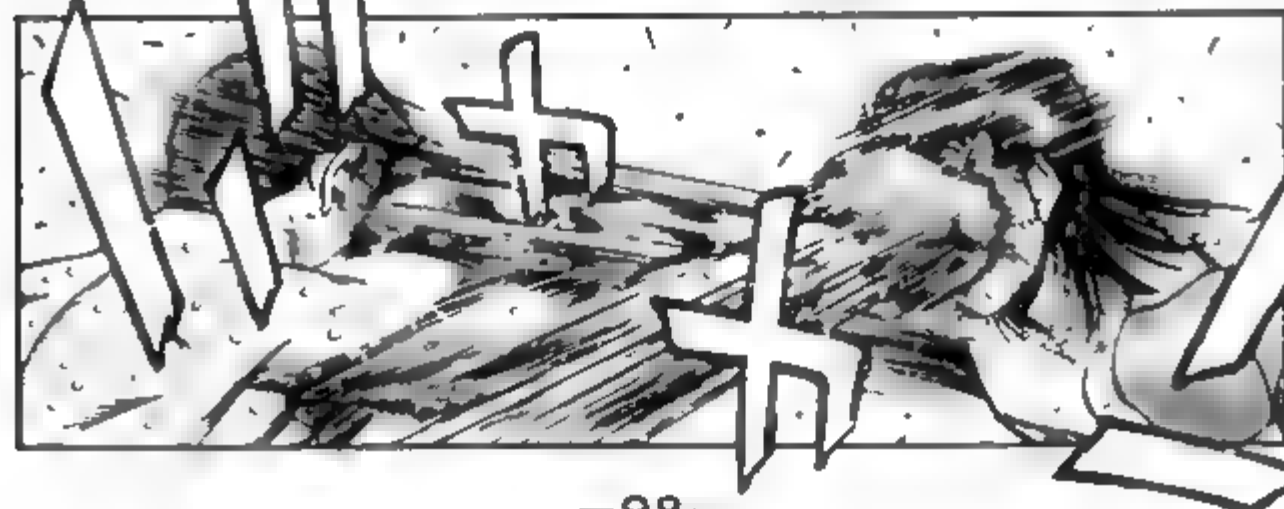
I'VE  
FINALLY  
NOTICED

I  
NEED  
TO  
TELL  
HER











AND  
THERE'S  
THE GONG!  
ROUND 7  
IS OVER

NOW 3  
ROUNDS  
REMAIN IN  
THE FIGHT!

THE  
BELT COULD  
STILL GO TO  
EITHER MAN

# はじめての一步



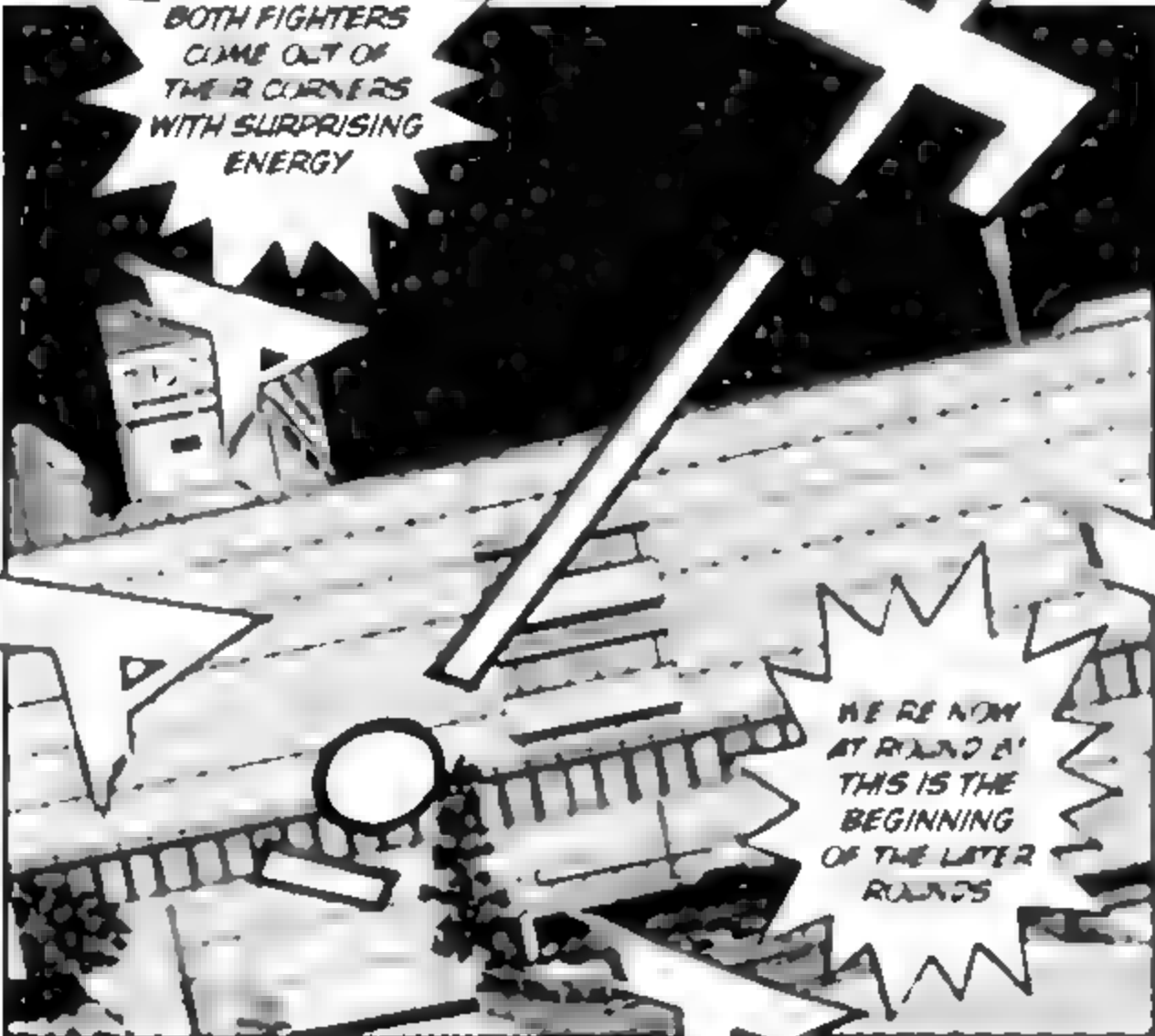


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**Round 458 Muddy Tenacity**

**dedicated to:  
Psycho Chops the Tuna Man**



BOTH FIGHTERS  
CAME OUT OF  
THEIR CORNERS  
WITH SURPRISING  
ENERGY

WE'RE NOW  
AT ROUND 2!  
THIS IS THE  
BEGINNING  
OF THE LATER  
ROUNDS

IMAE DON'T  
LET HIM  
HAVE THE  
BELT

BEAT  
HIM--

MASA  
SU

KICK HIS  
ASS

THE FANS  
CAN FEEL THE  
EXCITEMENT  
AS WELL

YOU CAN  
DO IT  
AKI!

KA-  
CHAN



THEY'RE  
GOING TO  
CONTINUE  
WHAT THEY  
LEFT AT THE  
END OF  
ROUND 7

AND THEY  
BOTH  
ADVANCE!

THEY DON'T  
EVEN STOP  
TO REST

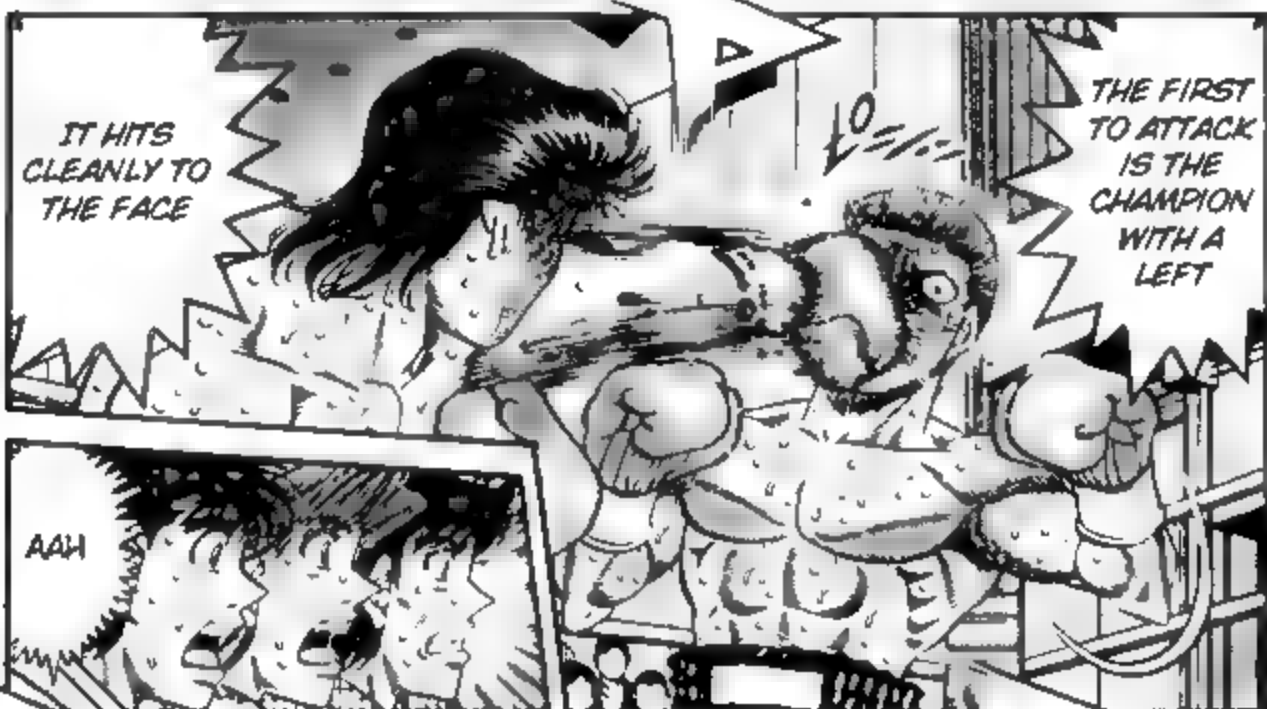


JUST  
GIVE UP  
AND GIVE  
ME THE  
BELT!!

WHAT  
GOT HIM  
SO CON-  
FIDENT

AFTER  
REALIZING  
THAT,  
THERE'S  
NO WAY I  
CAN  
ALLOW  
MYSELF  
TO LOSE!

I HAVE  
SUPPORT  
TOO



IT HITS  
CLEANLY TO  
THE FACE

THE FIRST  
TO ATTACK  
IS THE  
CHAMPION  
WITH A  
LEFT

AAH







THE POWER-  
LESS SOUNDS  
OF THEIR  
PUNCHES  
ECHO IN THE  
ARENA!

IT'S AN  
EXCHANGE  
WITH HUGE  
SWINGS

-- ASSUM-  
ING YOU  
COULD  
EVEN CALL  
IT THAT



IT'S DOWN  
TO MENTAL  
STRENGTH  
NOW!

IT DOESN'T  
LOOK LIKE  
THEY'LL FALL  
FROM  
DAMAGE

BUT THEY  
AREN'T  
STRONG  
ENOUGH TO  
KNOCK  
EITHER GUY  
DOWN

ALL OF  
THEM ARE  
HITTING

—  
WILL  
LOSE!!

THE ONE  
THAT GIVES  
UP FIRST.

THEY CON-  
TINUE  
PUNCHING  
REGARD-  
LESS OF  
THEIR  
POSITIONS

NEITHER  
FIGHTER  
BACKS  
DOWN

WAAH

A-  
AOK

SEPA-  
RATE!

BREAK

THREE



ZEEH

ZEEH

ZEEH

ZEEH



ZEEH

ZEEH

ZEEH

ZEEH



AND IT  
APPEARS  
THAT  
THEY'RE  
MOVING IN  
SLOW  
MOTION

THEIR FACES  
ARE SO  
SWELLED  
THAT THEY  
LOOK LIKE  
DIFFERENT  
PEOPLE



THEY  
WON'T  
BACK  
DOWN

YET THEY  
STILL  
FIGHT



IT LOOKS  
LIKE THEIR  
EYES ARE  
TOO SWELLED  
UP TO SEE  
PROPERLY

THEY'RE  
BOTH  
MOVING  
SLUG-  
GISHLY

AH, A WILD  
SWING  
MISSES



ROUND  
9 -

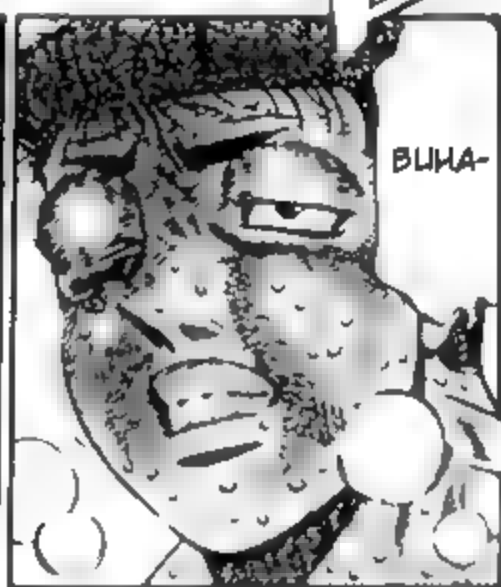
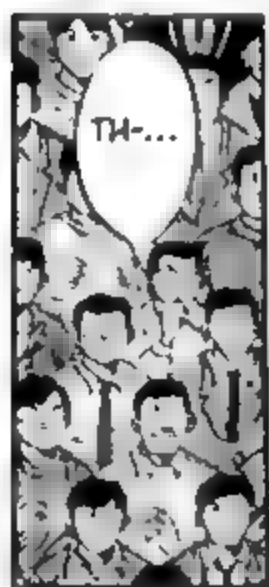


THEY SIMPLY  
GOT TANGLED  
WITH EACH  
OTHER AND  
FELL

THIS IS  
NOT A  
DOWN

OH MY,  
AND THEY  
FALL  
DOWN!







IT'S BECOME  
A MUD FIGHT

THEY'RE  
CAUGHT

IT'S LIKE  
THEY'RE  
CAUGHT IN  
QUICK-  
SAND



WH-  
WHY?



AND HE'S  
TOO TIRED  
TO USE ANY  
SPECIAL  
TRAINING  
AOKI MAY  
HAVE DONE

HE'S IN NO  
POSITION TO  
TAKE THE  
INITIATIVE



HE  
CAN  
DO  
IT!

IF THEY'RE  
IN THE  
MUD, THEN  
MASARU'S  
AT THE ADVAN-  
TAGE!



WHICH  
ONE'S STRON-  
GER

WHAT'S  
GOTTEN  
THEM  
THIS FAR  
IS THEIR  
SPIRITS

THE ONE  
WHO WANTS  
THE VICTORY  
MORE WILL  
GET IT



WAS  
STOLEN BY  
A CERTAIN  
SOMEONE  
LAST  
NIGHT!!

BECAUSE  
THE STAMINA  
THAT HE  
SHOULD HAVE  
BEEN SAVING  
UP FOR RIGHT  
NOW...



RE-  
GARD-  
LESS!  
!

AND  
NOW---

THE  
COMBATANTS  
SLOWLY  
MOVE  
FORWARD

WE ARE  
FINALLY  
IN THE  
LAST  
ROUND!!

BUHA-  
BUHA-

BUHA-  
BUHA-

ZEE-  
ZEE-

ZEE-  
ZEE-



BUT ONLY 3  
MORE  
MINUTES!

MY EYES  
WON'T  
FOCUS...

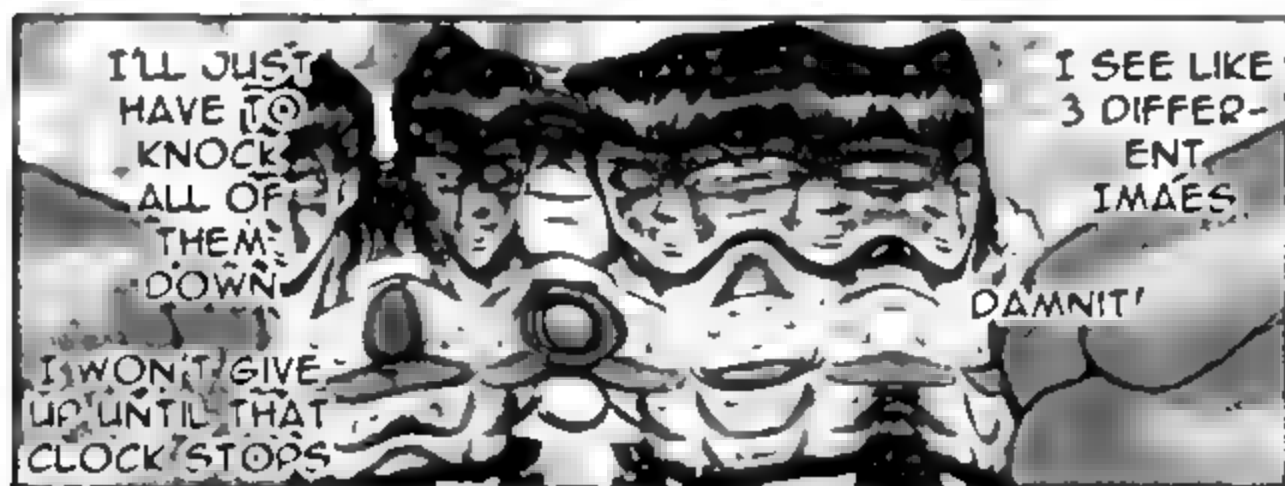
WHETHER I  
CRY OR  
LAUGH,  
IT'LL  
HAPPEN IN  
3 MINUTES

I'VE NEVER  
BEEN THIS  
TIRED  
BEFORE



WAS  
GIVEN  
TO ME  
BY  
SACHIKO  
!!

I WILL FIGHT  
THIS MAN  
UNTIL THE  
VERY END  
AND THE  
CONFIDENCE  
I HAVE TO  
DO THAT



I'LL JUST  
HAVE TO  
KNOCK  
ALL OF  
THEM  
DOWN

I SEE LIKE  
3 DIFFER-  
ENT  
IMAGES

DAMNIT!

I WON'T GIVE  
UP UNTIL THAT  
CLOCK STOPS



I WANT  
TO SIT  
ON THE  
KING'S  
THRONE,  
TOO

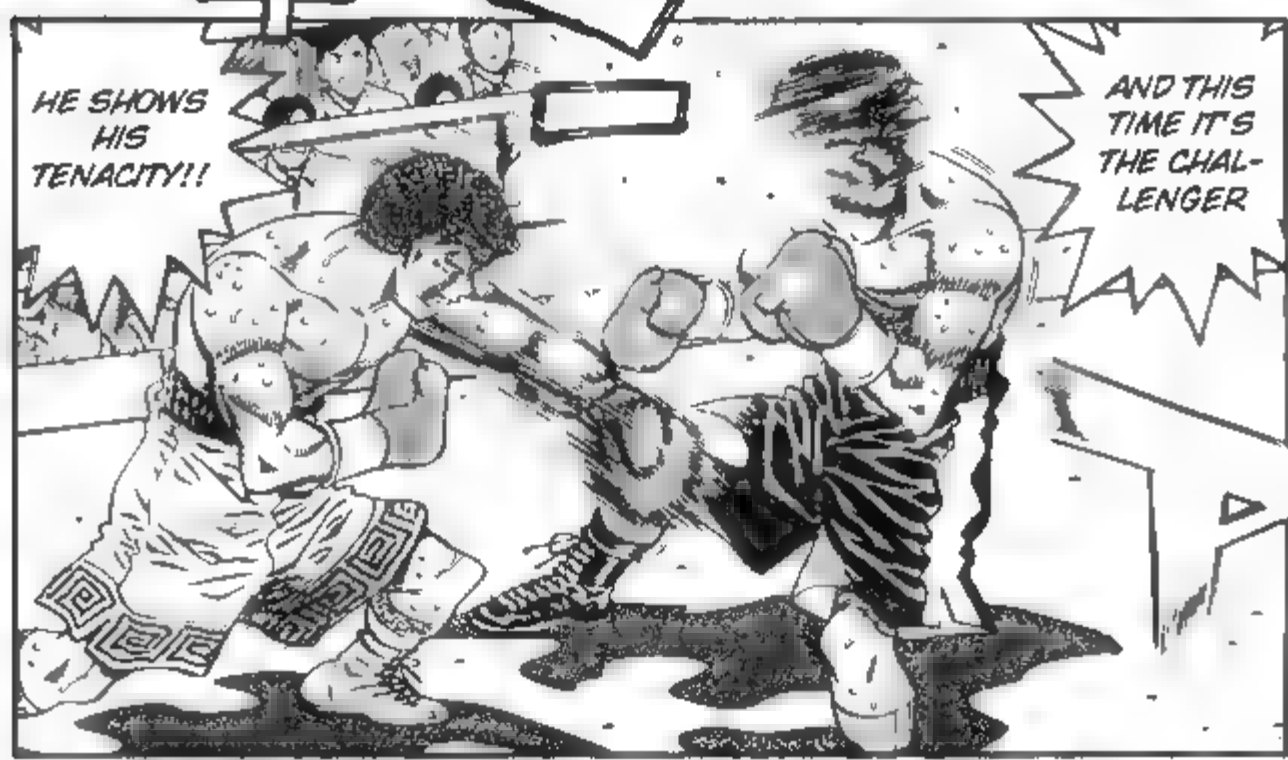
I'M GOING TO  
WIN, I'M GOING  
TO BE THE  
CHAMPION, AND  
EVERYONE'S  
GOING TO  
LOOK UP TO ME





WE'LL  
TAKE THE  
DECISION  
VICTORY!!

THIS IS THE  
LAST  
ROUND



HE SHOWS  
HIS  
TENACITY!!

AND THIS  
TIME IT'S  
THE CHAL-  
LENGER



COME  
ON,  
AOKI!



THE LAST  
THIRD IS  
EVEN...

EITHER  
ONE  
COULD  
END UP  
WINNING



WHO'LL  
WIN?

I-, IF IT  
GOES  
TO A  
DECISION



THE  
MIDDLE  
WENT TO  
AOKI-  
SAN...

I DON'T  
KNOW,  
THE BEGIN-  
NING WENT  
TO THE  
CHAMPION



THEY'RE  
PUSHING  
HARD TILL  
THE VERY  
END

THEY  
DON'T  
APPEAR TO  
BE  
LOOKING  
FOR THE  
DECISION!

HE'S  
COOL...

IF IT  
GOES TO  
THE  
DECISION,  
I'D HAVE  
THEM  
BOTH  
LOSE

I BET THE  
FANS'RE  
GETTING  
BORED BY  
NOW

WHAT THE  
HELL, THIS  
IS JUST LIKE  
IT'S BEEN  
FOR THE  
PAST 10  
MINUTES

YOUR  
AESTHETIC  
SENSES ARE  
WORSE THAN I  
THOUGHT

COOL?

BUT HE  
DOES TRY  
JUST AS  
HARD

NO! HE'S  
COOL

HE DOESN'T  
FIGHT LIKE  
YOU OR  
MAKUNOU-  
CHI-KUN

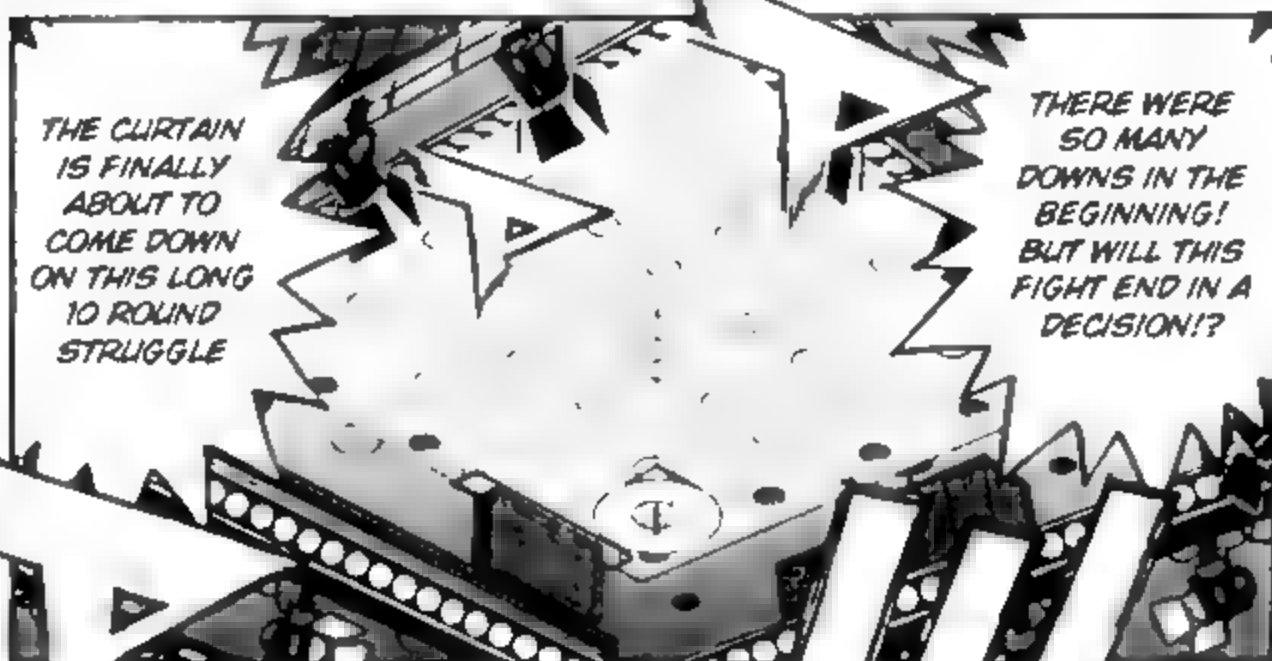


AND NO  
MATTER  
HOW IT  
ENDS

THERE'S NO  
ONE IN THE  
WORLD  
WHO'S  
COOLER  
THAN HIM!!



20  
SECONDS  
REMAIN



THE CURTAIN  
IS FINALLY  
ABOUT TO  
COME DOWN  
ON THIS LONG  
10 ROUND  
STRUGGLE

THERE WERE  
SO MANY  
DOWNS IN THE  
BEGINNING!  
BUT WILL THIS  
FIGHT END IN A  
DECISION!?



# はじめての一步

SCANS: FUSIONGT  
TRANS: SNOOPY  
EDITS: GREATTEACHERSTONE

P.S. - THIS IS MY FIRST IPPO CHAPTER  
EVER... SO I APOLOGIZE IF I DIDN'T LIVE UP  
TO YOU'RE EXPECTATIONS



A  
CLEAN  
HIT

AAAH! A  
CHOPPING  
RIGHT

はじめての  
一歩  
THE FIGHTING!

ONLY 20  
MORE  
SECONDS  
REMAIN

AOKI

THE  
CHALLENGER  
CRUMBLES  
DOWN

KNOCK  
HIM  
DOWN

THE  
DRAMA IS  
UNBEAR-  
ABLE





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Round 459

Distance to Glory







IT'S SO  
CLOSE.  
THE  
BELT'S  
RIGHT  
THERE!



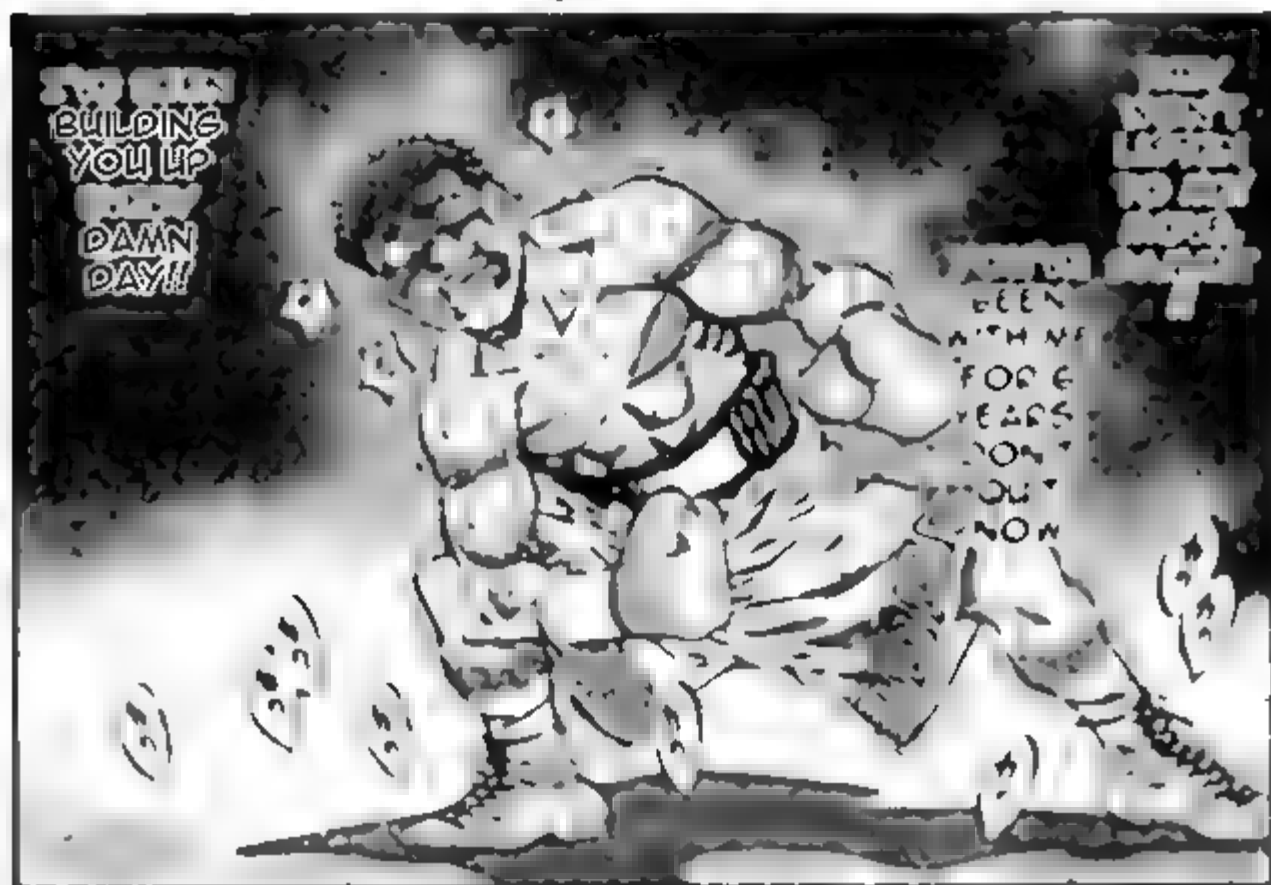
HIS  
JAW'S  
OPEN!

RIGHT  
THERE

I JUST  
NEED  
TO HIT  
THERE



MY  
LEGS



BUILDING  
YOU UP  
DAMN  
DAY!!

ALREADY  
BEEN  
WITH ME  
FOR 6  
YEARS  
DON'T  
YOU  
KNOW

JUST  
WANT  
TO  
KNOW  
WHAT  
YOU  
THINK



EVERY  
DAY



FOR  
6  
YEARS



HE'S LOW  
AGAINST  
THE MAT!  
HE TAKES A  
FAMILIAR  
STANCE

HE  
STAYED  
UP



AND

THIS  
IS



THE  
FROG  
PUNCH!?

WITH  
THAT  
BODY  
...



CAN HE  
STILL  
USE IT?



THE  
FROG  
!!



THE  
YOU  
THINK  
YOU  
CAN  
STILL  
DO  
IT

ALWAYS  
BELIEVED



COME  
ON!!

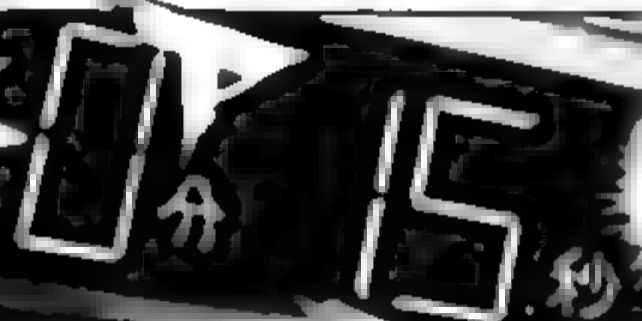


YOUR  
6  
YEARS  
FROM  
NOW  
ON

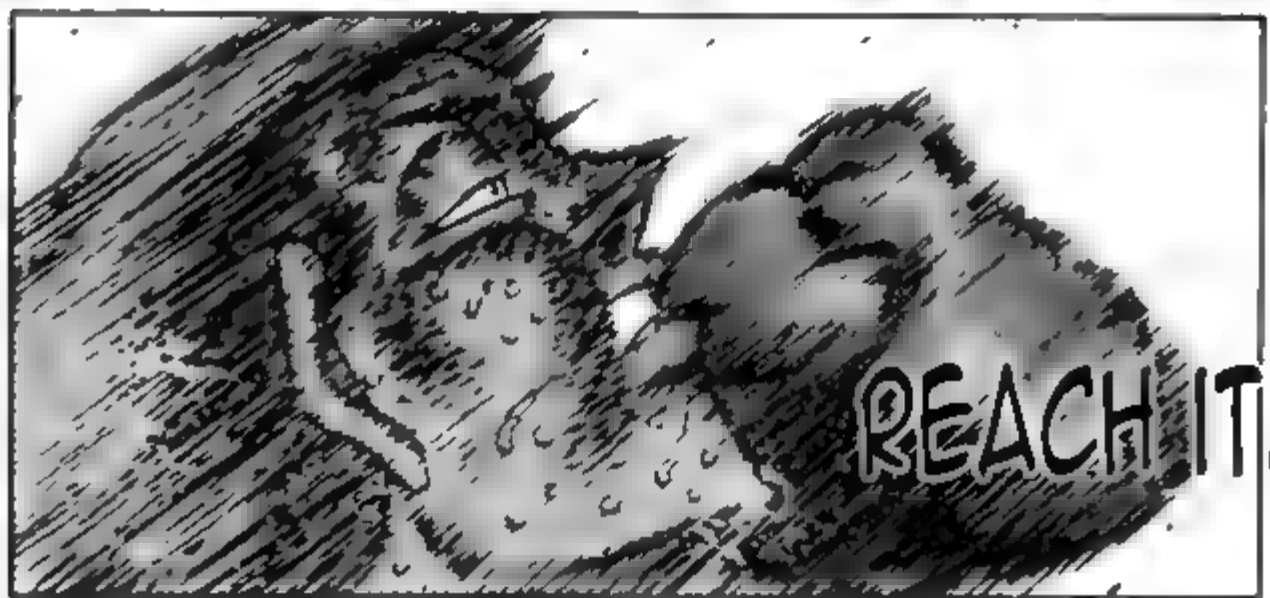


AND  
OK

15 SECONDS  
LEFT IN THE  
ROUND



SEACH





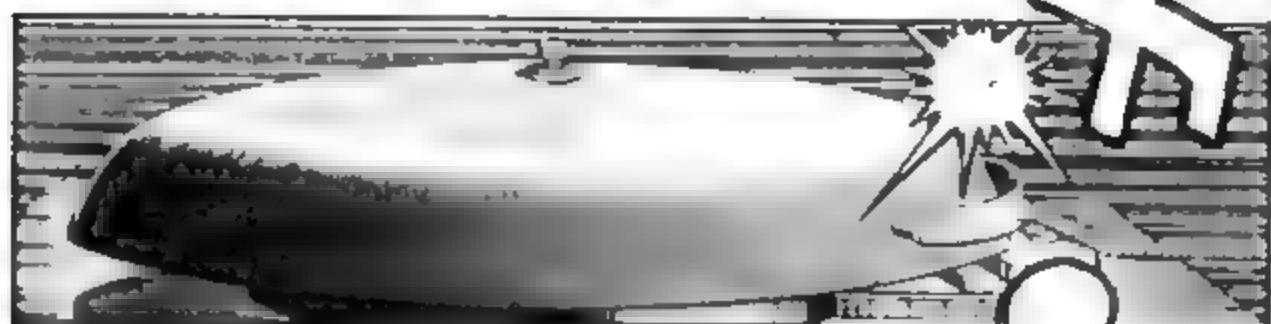


HE ONLY  
MADE IT  
HALF WAY  
UP

BUT HE  
DIDN'T  
GET A FULL  
JUMP  
ON IT







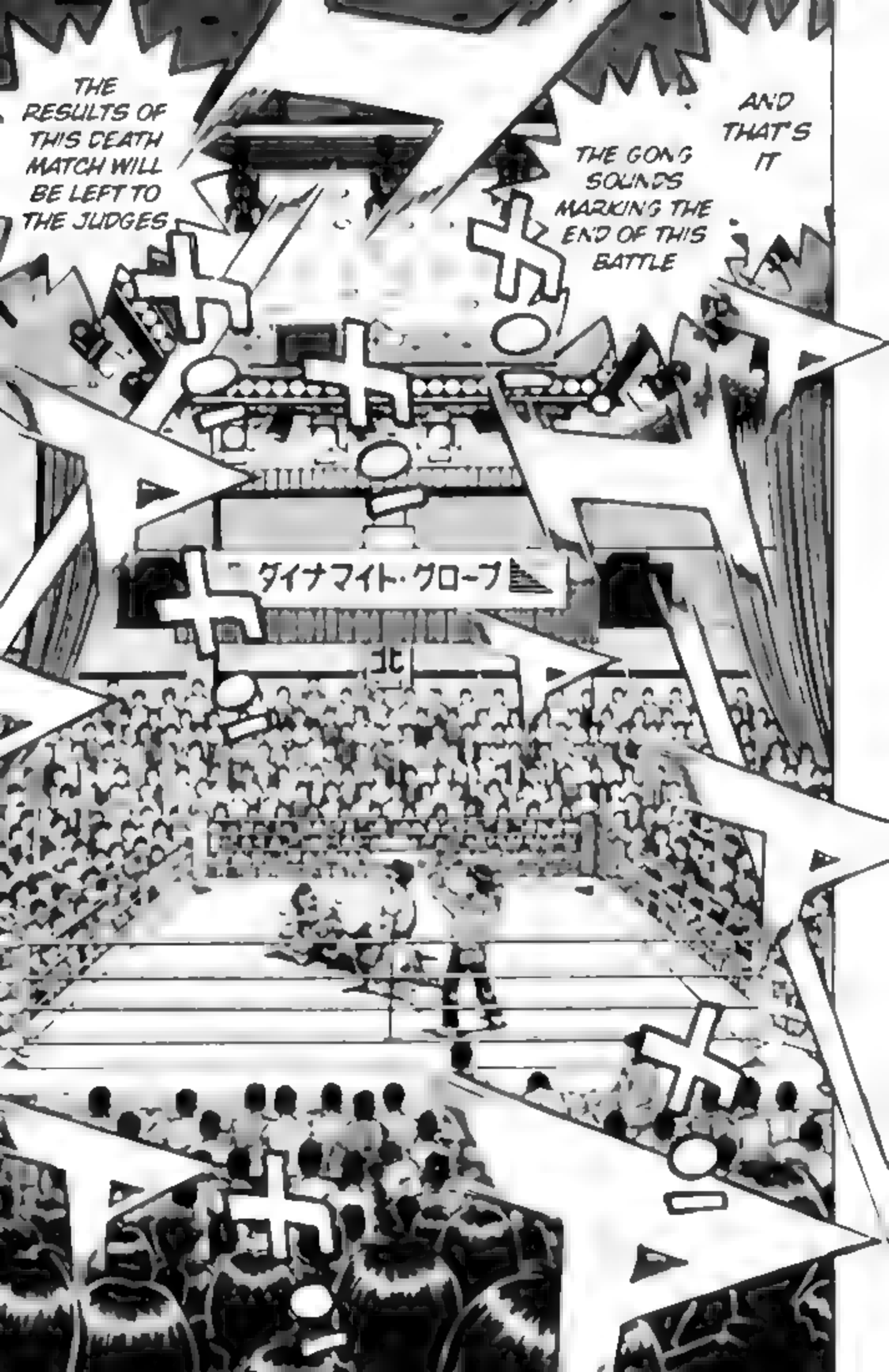
THE  
RESULTS OF  
THIS DEATH  
MATCH WILL  
BE LEFT TO  
THE JUDGES

AND  
THAT'S  
IT

THE GONG  
SOUNDS  
MARKING THE  
END OF THIS  
BATTLE

ダイナマイト・グローブ

北



COMEBACK  
AFTER  
COMEBACK,  
THESE FIGHT-  
ERS PROVIDED  
NO END TO  
THE DRAMA

THIS WAS A  
TRULY LONG 10  
ROUND MATCH,  
AND I'M SURE  
THE FIGHTERS  
THOUGHT THE 30  
MINUTES  
WOULD NEVER  
END

BOTH OF  
YOU  
SHOULD  
BE CHAM-  
PION

TETSU

YOU  
GUYS  
FOUGHT  
WELL

IT WAS A  
MUD FIGHT,  
BUT IT  
WAS STILL  
AWESOME

WELL  
DONE!  
LEAN ON  
ME

WELL  
DONE,  
IMAE!

IT'S  
NOT OVER  
YET...

HN  
...

YA  
THINK

THAT WAS  
A GOOD  
FIGHT!

WHAT'S  
WRONG,  
YOU'RE NOT  
GONNA  
CLAP?



I-, I NEED  
TO START  
BREATH-  
ING AGAIN

I-, I'VE  
NEVER BEEN  
SO TIRED  
AFTER A  
FIGHT



UNTIL HE  
HEARS THE  
DECISION



HN...  
KIMURA-  
SAN?

MASARU'S  
FIGHT  
ISN'T  
OVER!!



THE BELT  
DOESN'T  
SUIT HIM

KEH

BY MY  
COUNT  
...



I WANT  
AOKI-SAN  
TO WIN

I WANT  
HIM TO BE  
CHAMPION



WHAT DO  
YOU GUYS  
HONESTLY  
THINK?



I BELIEVE  
THE POINTS  
ARE PRETTY  
EVEN

ABOUT  
THE  
DECISION?



NOW  
THEN

BY MY  
COUNT  
THEY  
BOTH  
LOST,  
BUT...

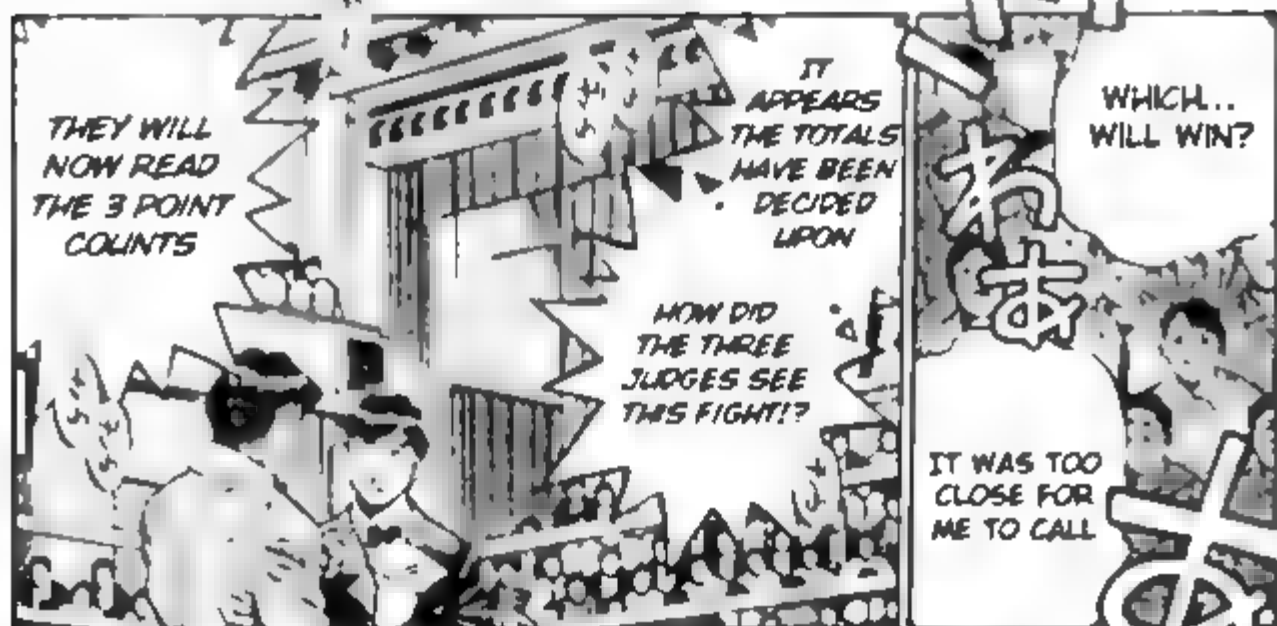


GIVE  
IT TO  
HIM

AOKI  
WON  
BY 1  
POINT!!

COME  
ON,  
JUDGES





THEY WILL  
NOW READ  
THE 3 POINT  
COUNTS

IT  
APPEARS  
THE TOTALS  
HAVE BEEN  
DECIDED  
UPON

HOW DID  
THE THREE  
JUDGES SEE  
THIS FIGHT!?

WHICH...  
WILL WIN?

IT WAS TOO  
CLOSE FOR  
ME TO CALL



PLEASE



IT'S  
IMAE...



AND  
NOW

SILENCE  
FLOWS OVER  
THE ARENA

WE ALL  
WATCH  
WITH  
BATED  
BREATH

TRICHINA

EXCEL

YEN

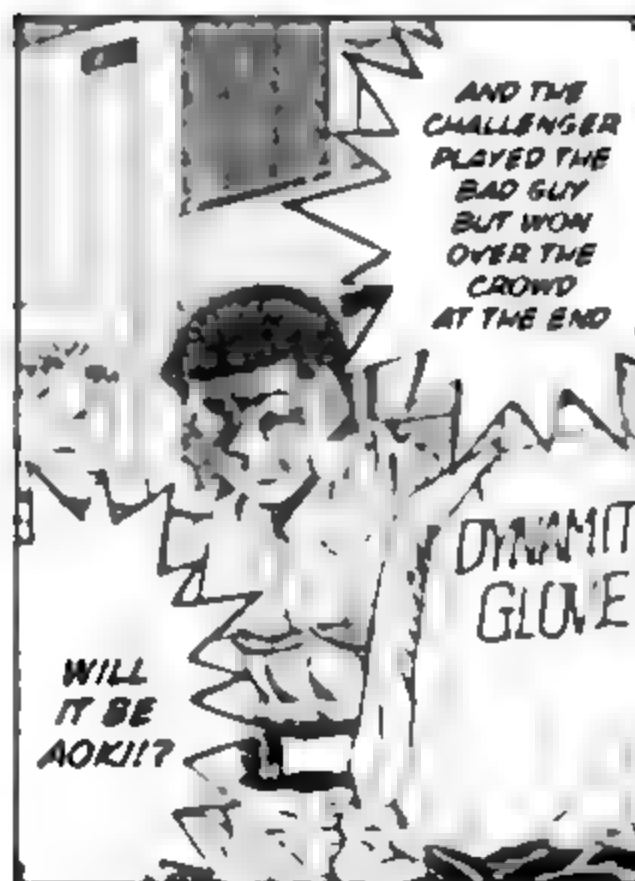


WHICH  
ONE OF OUR  
COMBATANTS  
WILL THE 3  
JUDGES  
SHOW THEIR  
FAVOR ON?

THIS IS THE  
JAPANESE  
LIGHTNING FIGHT  
TITLE MATCH

THE FATE OF  
THE BELT HAS  
BEEN LEFT  
UP TO THE  
JUDGES

THE FIGHTING!



AND THE  
CHALLENGER  
PLAYED THE  
BAD GUY  
BUT WON  
OVER THE  
CROWD  
AT THE END

WILL  
IT BE  
AOKI!?

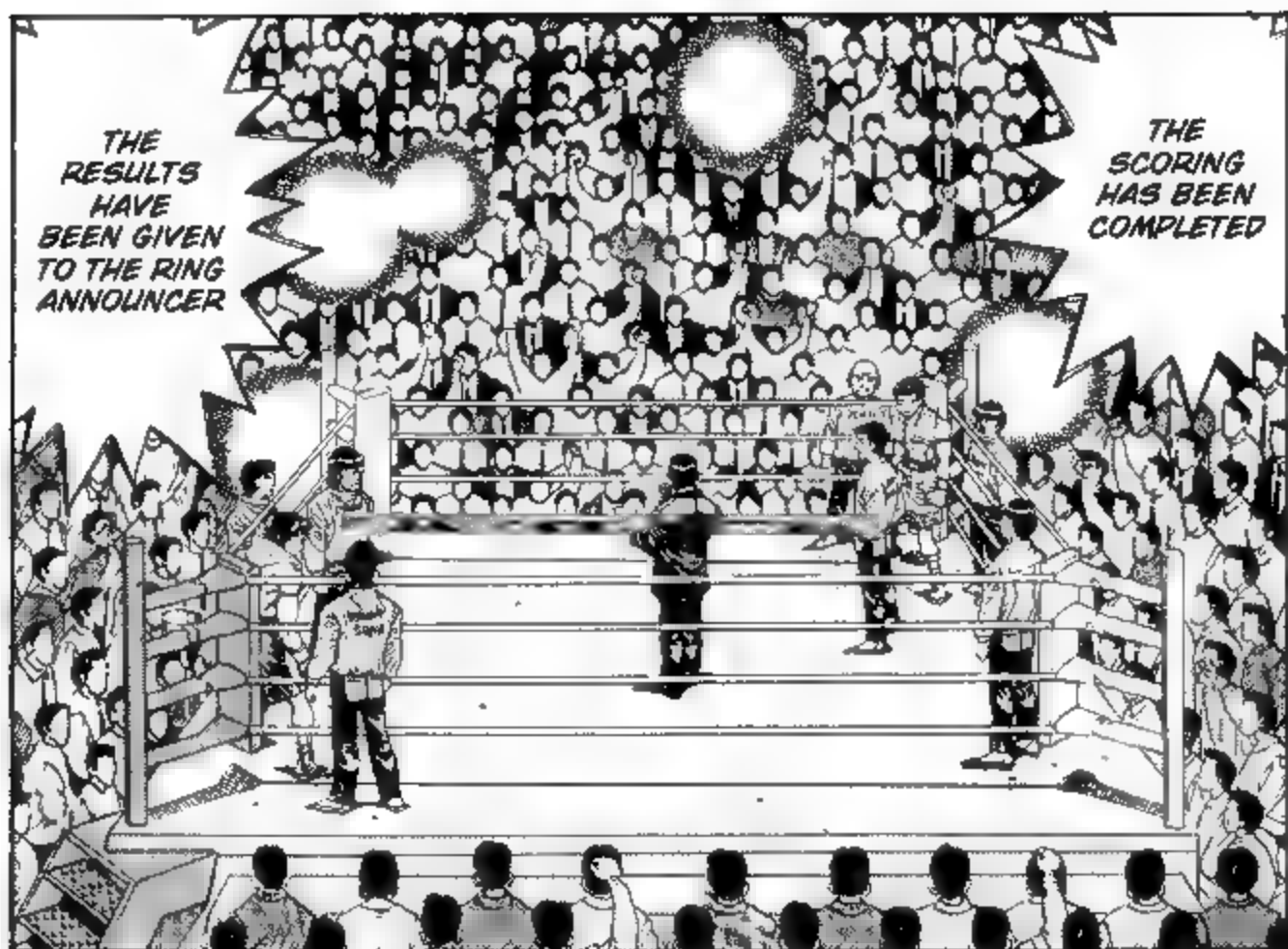
DYNAMITE  
GLOVE



WE'VE SEEN  
THE IRON WILL  
OF THE  
CHAMPION

SO WILL  
IT BE  
IMAE!?

DYNAMITE  
GLOVE



IMAE!!

JUDGE  
UCHIDA!  
95 TO 94

DYN

DYNAMITE  
GLOVE

YES!

YES!!

JUDGE  
MORITA!

AOKI'S  
THE  
ONE THAT  
BARELY  
WON!

WHAT  
THE HELL  
WAS HE  
LOOKING  
AT

95  
TO  
94

KUBOCH

IF BOTH  
OF THE  
REMAINING  
JUDGES  
CHOSE  
AOKI...

IT'S  
STILL  
TOO  
EARLY

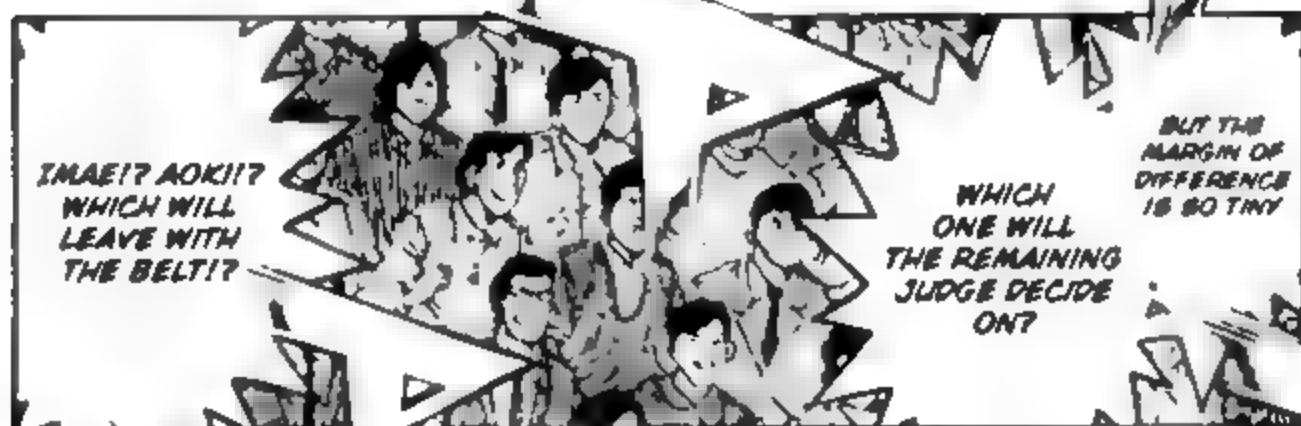


YEAH

AND  
NOW  
THEY'RE  
EVEN



AOKI!!



IMAE!? AOKI!?  
WHICH WILL  
LEAVE WITH  
THE BELT?!

WHICH  
ONE WILL  
THE REMAINING  
JUDGE DECIDE  
ON?

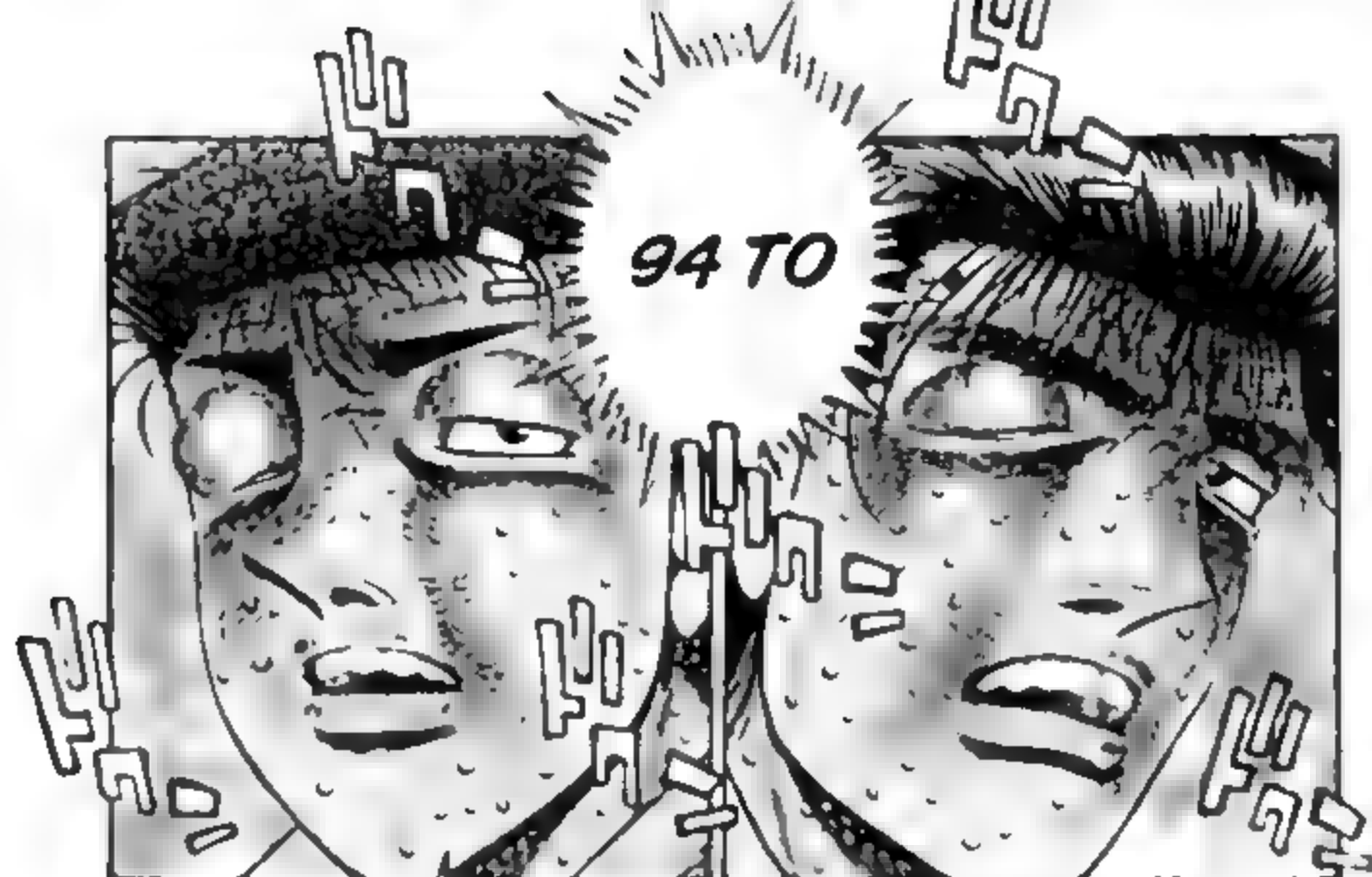
BUT THE  
MARGIN OF  
DIFFERENCE  
IS SO TINY



HAS  
RULED



REFEREE  
SHIMAKAWA!







ACH! FOUGHT  
AND HAD  
TRYING TO  
GET THE  
BELT

GIVE IT  
TO HIM...



I WAS A  
NEED  
WISHED  
AND HAD  
IN A FIGHT  
BEFORE

PLEASE  
LET HIM  
WIN



WHAT A  
THE  
MOMENT

NINETY...  
WHAT?



I CAN  
MAYBE

I CAN  
MAYBE



NO  
MATTER WHAT  
THE RESULT  
IS, I HAVE  
NO REGRETS

I FOUGHT  
TO THE  
VERY END

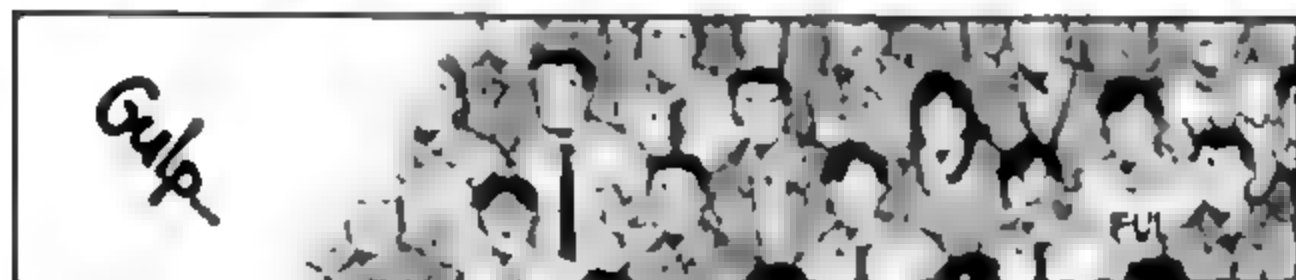
I HAVE NO  
REGRETS



ONLY  
REACH IT

THE  
BELT

ONLY  
BY ACH FIGHT  
TRYING TO  
GET IT



Gulp

FULL

**94  
TO  
94  
!!**

**A  
DRAW!!**

**TO BE A  
DRAW!!**

**AFTER THE  
THREE  
JUDGES  
MADE THEIR  
DECISIONS**

**THE  
FATE OF THIS  
JAPANESE TITLE  
MATCH WAS  
DECIDED**

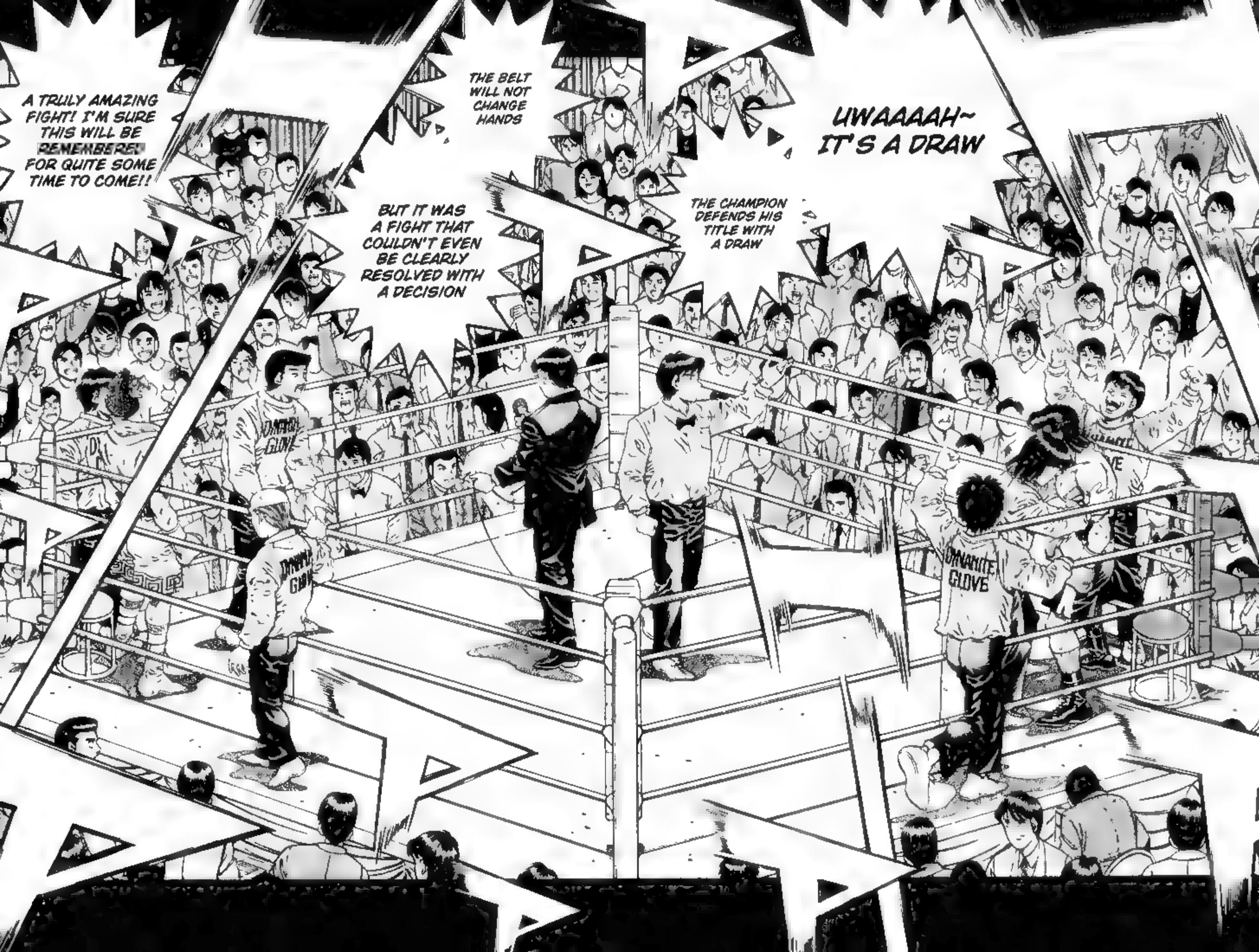
A TRULY AMAZING  
FIGHT! I'M SURE  
THIS WILL BE  
**REMEMBERED**  
FOR QUITE SOME  
TIME TO COME!!

THE BELT  
WILL NOT  
CHANGE  
HANDS

UWAAAAH~  
IT'S A DRAW

BUT IT WAS  
A FIGHT THAT  
COULDN'T EVEN  
BE CLEARLY  
RESOLVED WITH  
A DECISION

THE CHAMPION  
DEFENDS HIS  
TITLE WITH  
A DRAW







IT'S EVEN BIGGER THAN THE CHAMPION'S

BUT THIS IS AN AMAZING APPLAUSE



HE WAS REALLY CLOSE...



A RAIN OF APPLAUSE FALLS TO HIS BACK

THE CHALLENGER IS NOW LEAVING THE RING



APPLAUSE IS SOMETHING THAT YOU'LL HAVE FOR AN INSTANT AND THEN LOSE JUST AS EASILY

APPLAUSE ISN'T WHAT HE WANTED



HE STAYED ON THE EDGE FOR 6 YEARS

HE WANTED SOMETHING THAT WOULD STAY WITH HIM

AND RIGHT WHEN HE FINALLY THOUGHT HE HAD IT, HE LOST IT AGAIN



B-, BUT I'M NOT SURE WHAT TO SAY...



HEY

LET'S GO TO THE BACK



WHAT HE WANTED WAS PROOF THAT HE WAS A BOXER

HE WANTED THE BELT

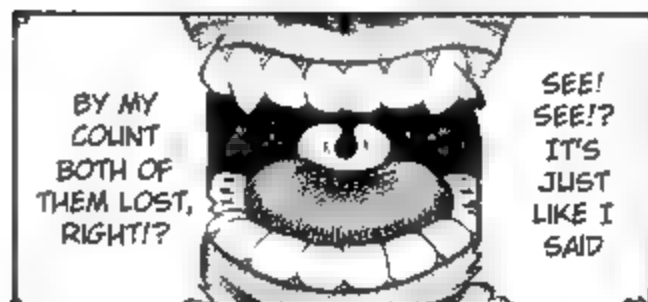


HE MAY DECIDE TO RETIRE!

HE THOUGHT THAT WAS HIS LAST CHANCE

SHUT UP, YOU'RE COMING





BY MY  
COUNT  
BOTH OF  
THEM LOST,  
RIGHT!?

SEE!  
SEE!?  
IT'S  
JUST  
LIKE I  
SAID



THERE'S  
NO  
WINNER  
WHEN  
YOU  
FIGHT  
IN THE  
MLD

PL-  
PLEASE SAY  
THAT THEY  
BOTH WON



LET'S GO!  
HE DIDN'T  
LOSE THIS  
FIGHT

HE SHOULD  
REALIZE THAT  
HE WAS EVEN  
WITH THE  
CHAMPION

AND IF  
HE DOESN'T  
WE SHOULD  
TELL HIM!!

<NOTE DORO = MLD, DRAW = DOROU>



A 'DORO'

JUST AS  
THE NAME  
IMPLIES

LIWAAH,  
NICE ONE!!



EVEN  
SO, IT'S  
TOUCHING

AND THE  
RESULT...



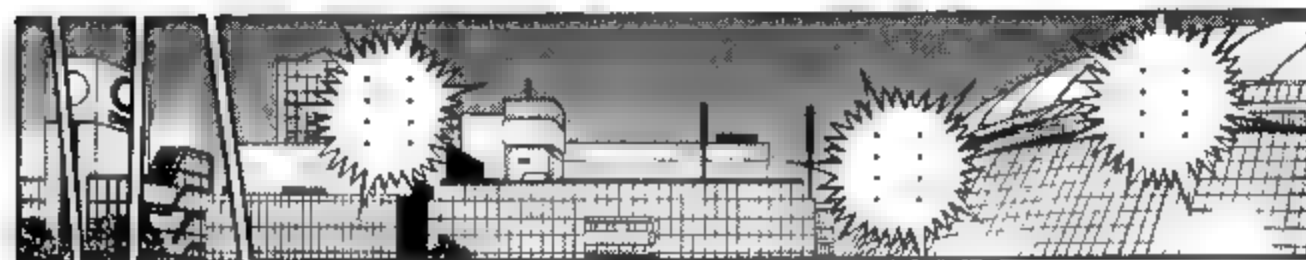
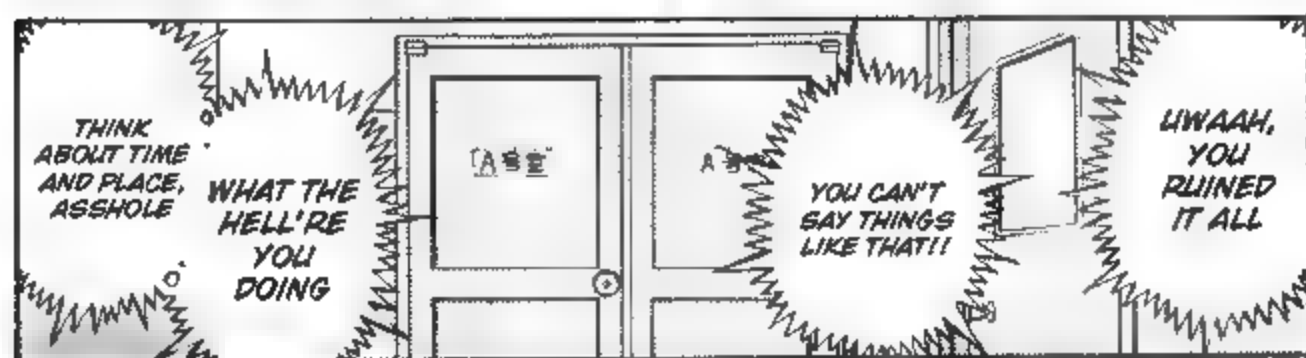
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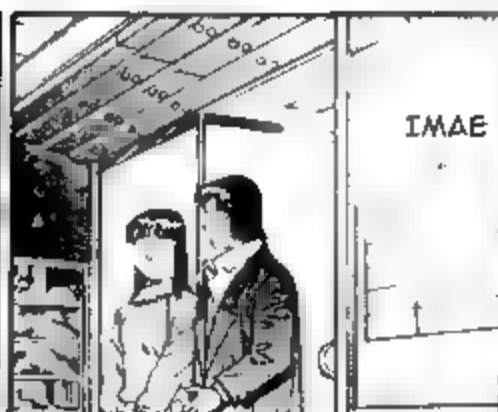
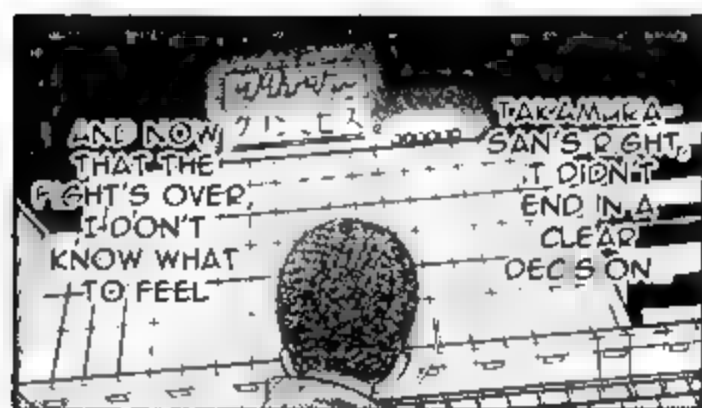


SHUT  
UP, AND  
ENCOURAGE  
HIM!!













EVERY-  
THING'S  
ALL  
RIGHT,  
I'M HERE

LIYAAAAH,  
TOMIKO,  
TOMIKO



MAS-  
ARU!

GOOD  
FIGHT









ER, NO,  
THAT'S...

SORRY, OH,  
THIS IS  
SWOLLEN,  
TOO

ITATA,  
THAT'S  
SWOLLEN,  
IT HURTS



WELL,  
FOR  
NOW



DOESN'T  
LOOK LIKE  
HE'S  
GOING  
TO  
RETIRE

I-, IT SEEMS  
HE'S BUSY,  
WANNA STOP  
BY LATER?

WE'LL  
TRY  
AGAIN  
TOMOR-  
ROW...

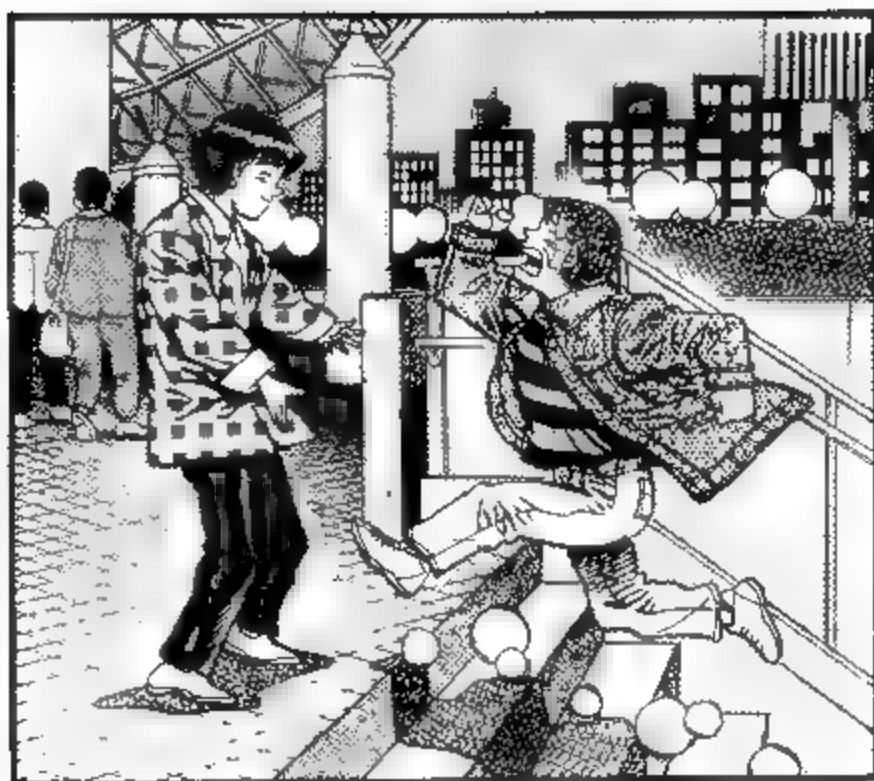


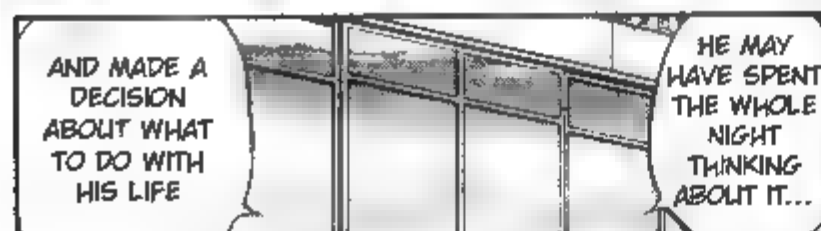
AOKI-  
SAN

JOB  
WELL  
DONE

# はじめての一步

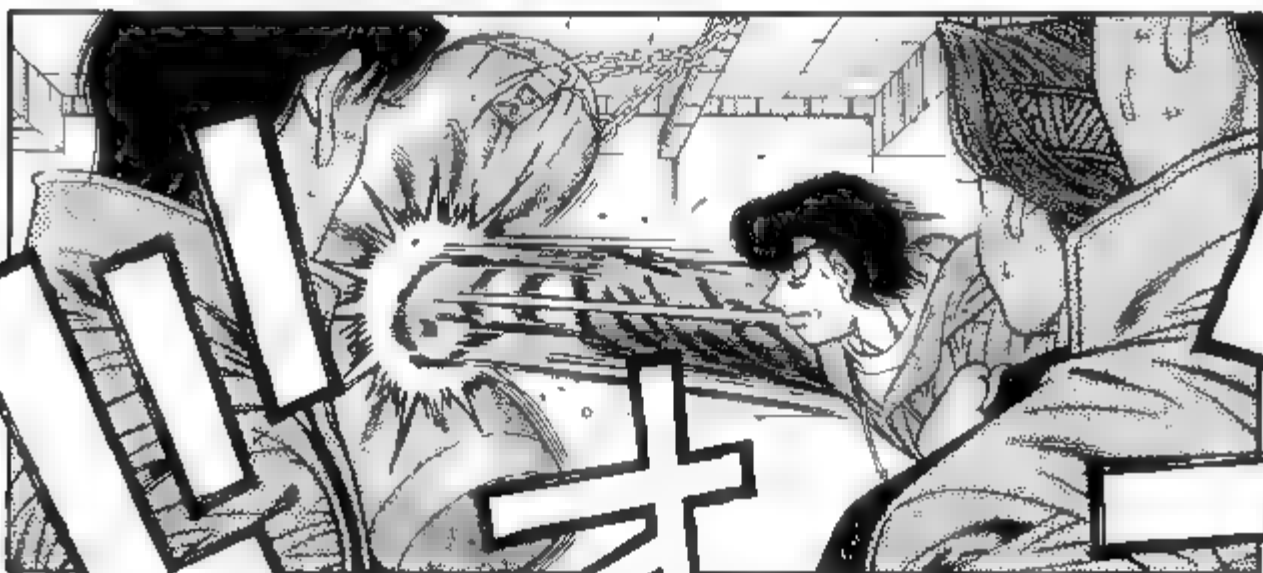
"Get out of the way!  
The monster's coming  
to get me!!  
Iyaaaaaah"















AND  
WORRY  
ABOUT  
YOUR-  
SELF  
FIRST...

RIGHT  
?



FOR THE  
TIME BEING  
I'LL STOP  
WORRYING  
ABOUT  
AOKI

THE BIG  
GLY SURE  
TALKS  
STRICT  
WHEN A  
MATCH IS  
NEAR

OUR

....

PATH?



I  
CERTAINLY  
WAS  
SURPRISED

THAT  
YOU'D COME  
TO SEE ME



YOU  
HAVE A  
VISITOR

IPPO-  
KUN



TO  
SEE ME?



KOBASHI-SAN!



UH, MAKE THAT "FORMER" CHAMP

YOU'RE THE JUNIOR FEATHER-WEIGHT CHAMP, KENTA KOBASHI, AREN'T YOU?!



WAS I A NUISANCE TO BARGE IN OUT OF NOWHERE?

NOT AT ALL! MY NEXT MATCH ISN'T EVEN SETTLED YET



I'M JEALOUS!

EVEN IF IT WAS LUCK, IT'S AMAZING TO BE CHAMP



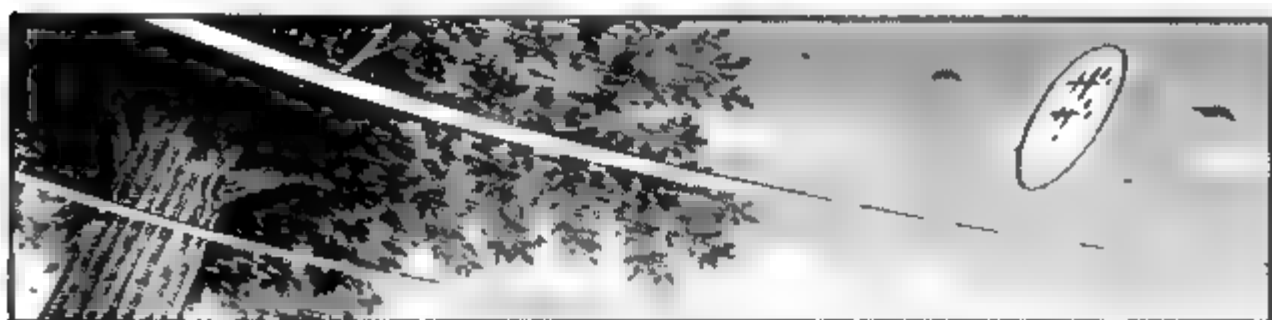
I HAVE NO REGRETS

THAT'S TRUE. I'M SATISFIED



I WASN'T ABLE TO DEFEND MY TITLE EVEN ONCE

I ONLY BECAME CHAMP AS A STROKE OF LUCK





I MET  
YOU!

...  
WAS  
THAT



IF IT HADN'T  
BEEN  
FOR THAT, I  
WOULDN'T  
HAVE BEEN  
ABLE TO  
FIGHT MY  
HARDEST AS  
I DID

YOU  
TAUGHT  
ME SOME-  
THING IM-  
PORTANT

WHEN I  
HAD MY  
MATCH  
WITH  
YOU AND  
WE EX-  
CHANGED  
PUNCHES

M-  
ME?



ACTU-  
ALLY  
...

WHAT ARE  
YOU  
GOING TO  
DO NOW?

I'M GRATEFUL  
TO YOU, THAT'S  
WHY I CAME TO  
TALK TO YOU



IT'S SUR-  
PRISINGLY  
DIFFICULT

I PICKED  
UP TRAINEE  
MITTS ONE  
MONTH  
AGO

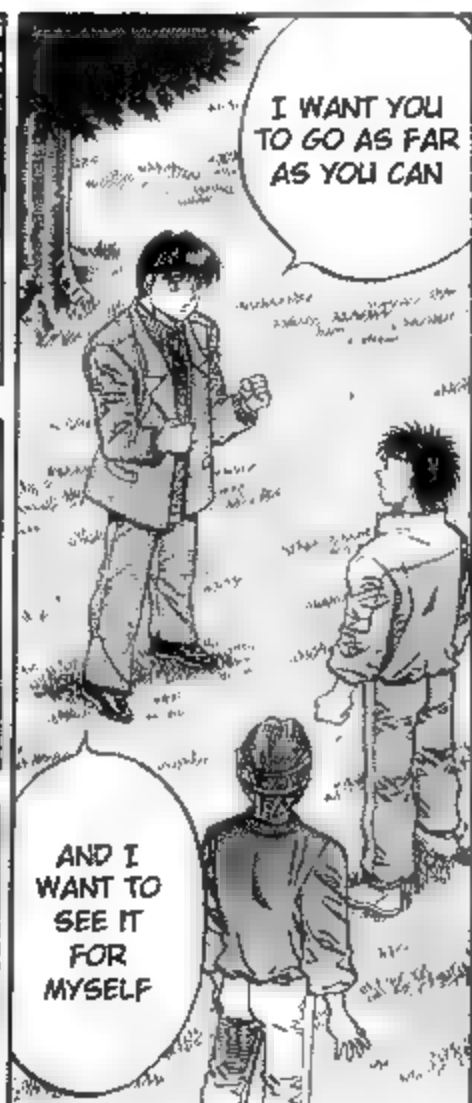
KOBASHI-  
SAN...



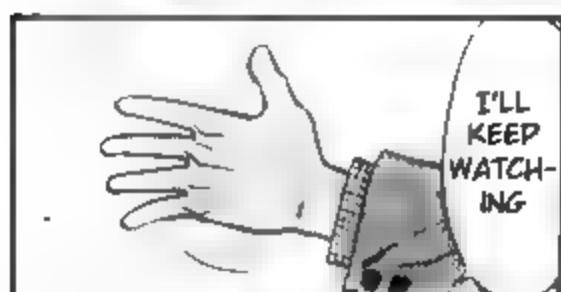




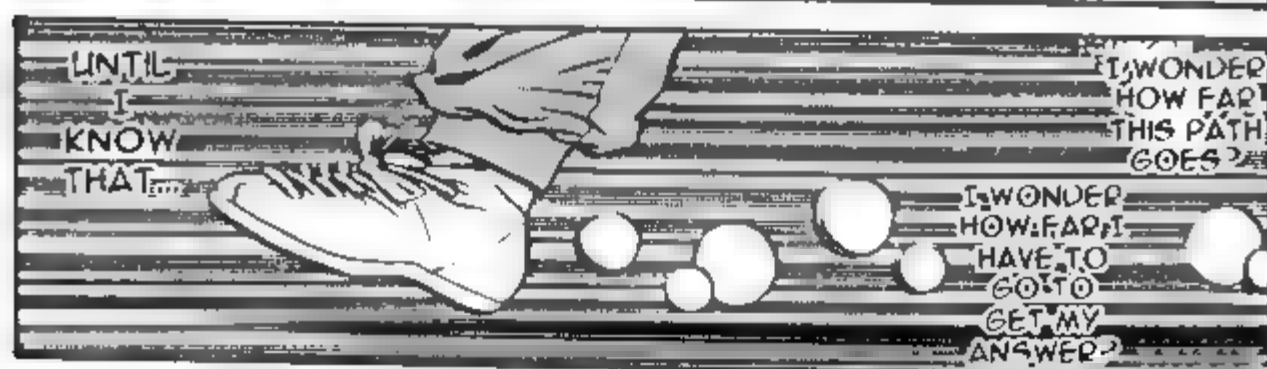




















# はじめての一步





# はじめての THE FIGHTING! 一歩

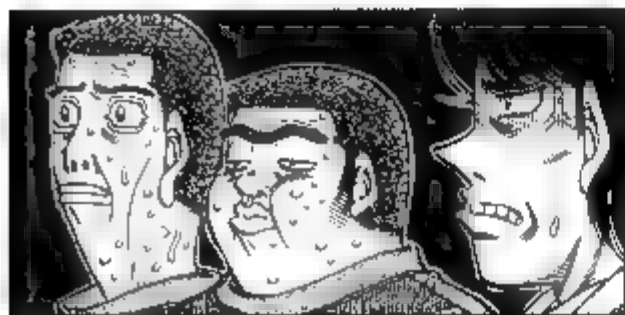
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SCANDITOR FUSIONGT  
TRANSLATOR SNOOPY



ラウンド  
**Round 462**

**Clumsy  
Technique**



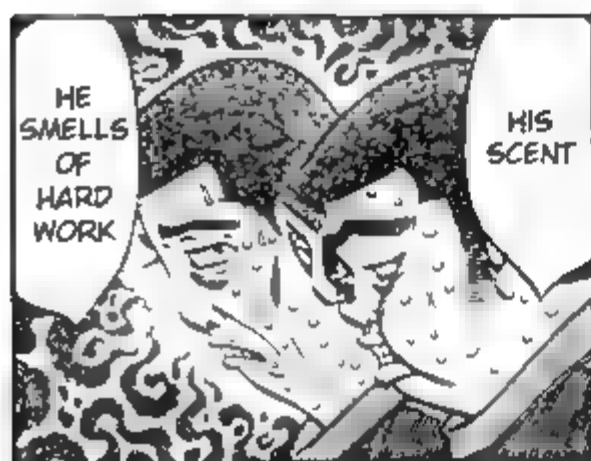






I,  
ITAGAKI-  
SAN'S AN  
ELITE,  
RIGHT?













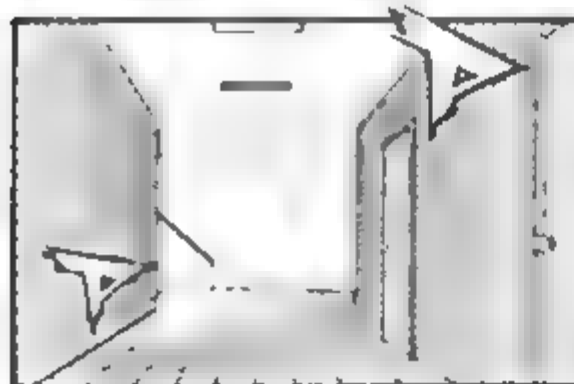
THIS MAY BE  
HIS COMEBACK,  
BUT THERE ISN'T  
EVEN A HINT THAT  
HE WAS EVER  
GONE! A KO 1  
MINUTE AND 33  
SECONDS INTO  
ROUND 1!!

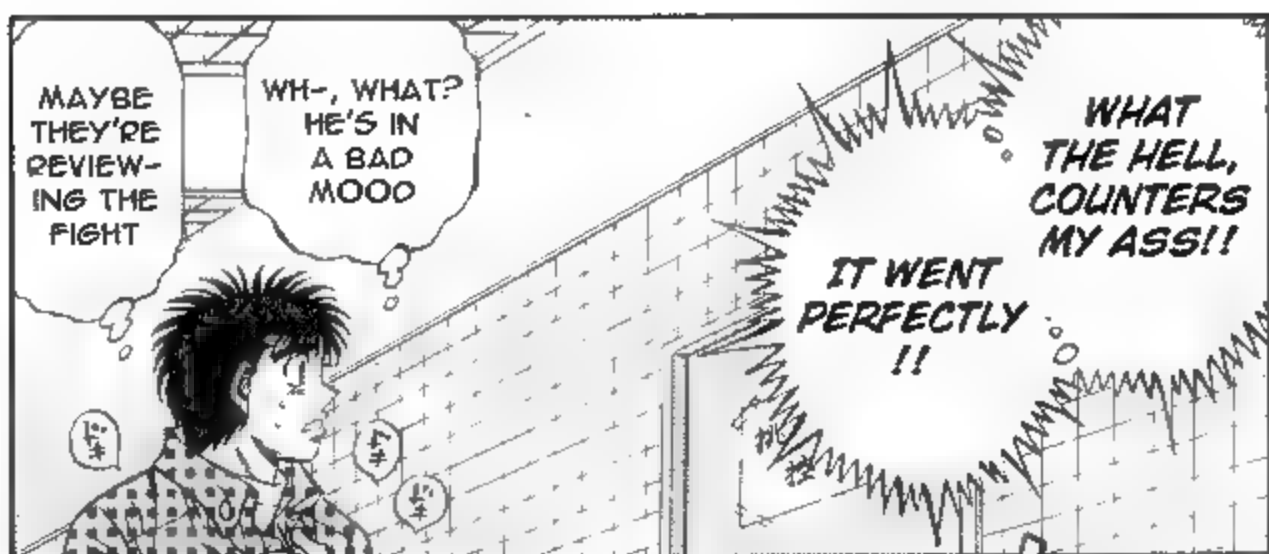
LIWAAAAH  
HE'S  
DOWN AND  
HE CAN'T  
GET UP

THE REFEREE  
HAS PUT A  
STOP TO THE  
FIGHT!!

THE  
NANIWA  
TIGER!  
HAS BEEN  
REBORN!!

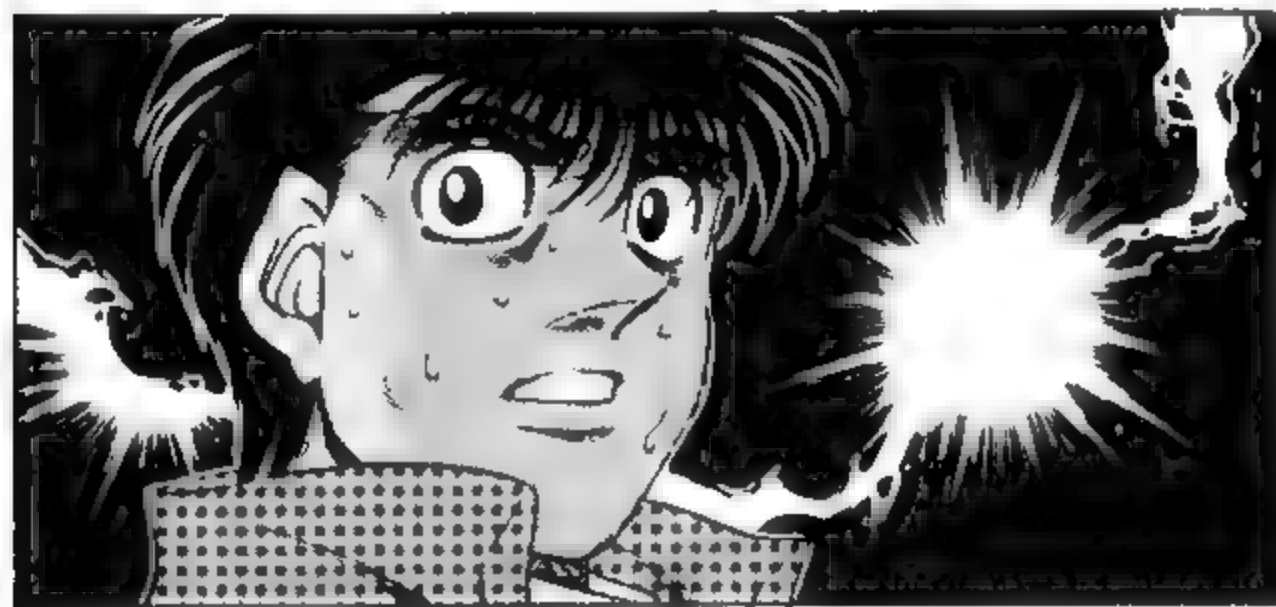
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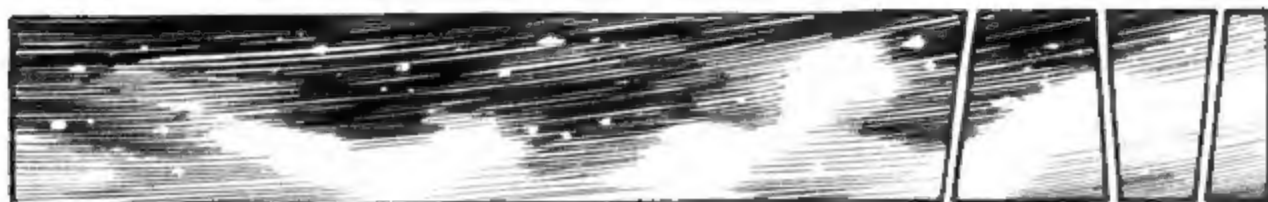
















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